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PARKS BOARD STAYS BY GUNS

FOLLOWS OLD BODY IN FINANCIAL STAND

Confirms Salary of Superintendent and Will Charge City Up.

It was quite plain before the newly-constituted parks board was in session long yesterday afternoon that it is a worthy successor to the former board in zeal for the maintenance of the parks and boulevards. It was just as plain that the three citizen members are at one with the four who resigned in their stand for the financial independence of the board.

This was the snag which the old board struck. As will be remembered, Messrs. Arbuthnot, Pemberton, Wilkerson and Nelson resigned as a protest against the action of the city council in refusing to grant the salary fixed by the board for its superintendent, $1,800, half chargeable to parks account and half to boulevard work.

The new board approved of the action of the former body in placing Supt. England's salary at $150 a month, and decided to charge the city for all time given by him to work outside the parks. The maintenance of the boulevards is under the parks board and, while construction is under the city engineer, its superintendent acts as foreman for that work, but the board gets nothing for his time. As a matter of fact, although the superintendent's time is reported daily it has not been charged up to the different local improvement works. The city collects five cents a foot frontage to meet the expenses of maintenance, and the contention of the new board, as of the old one, is that it should be recouped out of this for the time its official gives. It was on that view that the estimate for 1909 was framed, but the city council declined to allow it on the ground that the parks board had no right to say what should be done with the money collected for boulevard maintenance.

At the meeting yesterday there were present Ald. Henderson, H. M. Fullerton, Dr. G. A. B. Hall, M. P. P., and E. A. Lewis. The former was appointed chairman for the meeting and the appointment of a permanent chairman, who must not be a member of the city council, was left over to a later meeting.

Mr. Fullerton remarked that he understood from Mayor Hall that it was not the intention to appoint any more citizen members this year, although there is one vacancy.

Mr. Lewis brought up the financial issue by asking what the trouble was over the superintendent's salary.

Ald. Henderson explained what had [illegible] place and the attitude of the [illegible] expressing his own opinion [illegible] board desired it could fix [illegible]ndent's salary and charge [illegible]ity any time he put in on [illegible] work.

"[illegible]at is the use of our being here at all if that is so?" said Mr. Lewis, when he was informed that the board's estimates were liable to be cut down by the council. "If we find that a certain sum is required we should get it, just as the school board ask for what they require. If we need $10,000 and only get $5,000 what then?"

Mr. Fullerton considered the council had been picayune in its attitude. It was getting certain work done by a parks board official, it was charging the property-owners interested for this work and yet it refused to pay over to the board anything for this.

"One of the troubles in this city has been that important matters have been everybody's business and nobody's business, and the ratepayers have a big kick to make because of that," said Mr. Fullerton. "The proper person to look after the boulevards is our superintendent and a portion of his salary should be provided out of the boulevard maintenance fund."

In answer to Mr. Lewis Supt. England said his time was reported daily but what he spent on boulevards was not charged up against the particular work.

"Well it should be," said Mr. Lewis.

After discussing the matter pretty fully it was moved by Mr. Fullerton, seconded by Dr. Hall and carried, that the salary of the superintendent be $150 a month from January 1st last and that the city be charged for all time given to work on boulevards.

"One of the chief assets of Victoria is its natural beauty," said Dr. Hall, "and unless the parks and boulevards are attended to under a competent person it will ruin the place. The position is easily worth $1,800 to the man who will keep them in first class condition. As I have seen a parks superintendent here has to be up at all hours of the night and on Sundays and his time is never his own."

Before the meeting broke up Mr. Fullerton, addressing the chairman, said the rest of them wanted him to go out pledged to work with the rest of the board in this matter.

Ald. Henderson assured his colleagues that he was heartily with them in their work, but he thought there should be some proportion between salaries and that proportionately what was voted Supt. England was more than some other officials got.

The salary which the superintendent has been voted is to cover everything, and on the strength of it he has not since the first of the year been getting the $10 a month for car fare and horse hire that he got under the old arrangement.

BRYAN'S SON WEDS.

Grand Lake, Colo., June 24.—Wm. Jennings Bryan, jr., and Miss Helen Berger, of Milwaukee, were married here to-day. Only the immediate relatives of the couple were present.

The ceremony took place at the Berger summer home here. The bride, who is the daughter of Alexander Berger, a millionaire grain and flour dealer of Milwaukee, is very beautiful and accomplished. She is but 19 years of age. The groom only recently attained his majority. He has extensive business interests given to him by his father at Tucson, Ariz., where the couple will make their home after a brief honeymoon journey.

NEW HOME FOR THE PARK ZOO

PARKS BOARD TAKES ACTION IN MATTER

Bears Are to Be Killed—Sanitary Quarters for Collection.

The bears must die. No more for a while will the youngsters try to get a look at the poor animals penned up in a damp hole in the ground in a corner of Beacon Hill park. A humane end will be put to the existence of the two bears, which are in anything but a healthy condition. Later on, when finances allow, sanitary bear-pits will be constructed and some young bears procured, and these will be in such a position that they can be looked at in comfort by the children.

At the meeting of the parks board yesterday E. A. Lewis, one of the new citizen members, declared that the natural history collection at the park was a disgrace to Victoria, so far as the buildings are concerned. The birds and animals ought to be gathered together in one of the buildings for the present and the rest of them destroyed and replaced by one suitable building of modern construction in which they can be comfortably housed. Mr. Lewis moved to this effect.

H. M. Fullerton, seconded by Dr. G. A. B. Hall, moved that the bears be destroyed and the pits done away with, until such time as the city can construct a proper place for bears and procure some young cubs.

"It is no pleasure for people to go there and see animals in misery," Dr. Hall said.

There was some discussion in regard to where the new building should be placed. The consensus of opinion was that it ought to be placed in the deer enclosure, where easy drainage could be obtained, besides the advantage of getting entirely away from the rat-infested quarter where the buildings now stand. This latter would be cleared of rodents, levelled and sodded and made into a playground. Supt. England has had plans prepared and he is to submit an estimate of cost to the next meeting of the board. It is thought that the expenditure can be readily met out of the balance of the $10,000 appropriation still to the board's credit.

The destruction of the old buildings is to proceed at once, as well as the death of the bears, and plans will be rushed for the new building.

CHICAGO BANKS TO BE CONSOLIDATED

Continental National and American Will Be United.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Chicago, June 24.—By an agreement that probably will be ratified to-day by the directors of the two institutions, the Continental National Bank and the American Trust & Savings Bank are to be consolidated into the second largest financial institution in the city.

The combined capital and surplus of the new organization is $16,500,000, with deposits of $115,000,000. Each bank will retain its name and its corporate individuality. The Continental will handle the commercial and general banking part of the business while the American will take over the bond and trust activities.

HIGHWAYMEN HOLD UP SEATTLE STREET CAR

Relieve the Motorman and Conductor of Money and Watches.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Seattle, Wash., June 24.—Pulling the trolley from the wire as a Nineteenth Avenue car reached the end of the line late last night, two masked highwaymen robbed Motorman J. J. Smith and Conductor Thomas Harper who were in charge of the car, of all their money and watches and about $15 belonging to the company. Police headquarters were notified of the hold-up by a druggist who witnessed the affair, and officers were soon on the scene, but no trace of the bandits could be found.

KILLARNEY HAS BOAT DISASTER

ELEVEN PERSONS LOSE THEIR LIVES

Nine Tourists and Two Boatmen Drowned in Gale.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Killarney, Ireland, June 24.—Five American and four English tourists were drowned late yesterday afternoon when the large rowboat in which they were crossing lower Killarney Lake was swamped in a gale. Two of the four boatmen also lost their lives.

The victims were:

Mrs. A. A. Hilton and son, Tacoma, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Loughead, of Boston.

Miss M. H. Cotum, of Massachusetts.

Rev. B. Barton and sister, London, England.

Miss Florence Wilkinson and cousin, of Brentwood, Essex.

Boatmen Toomey and Gleason.

None of the bodies have been recovered.

The party left the Great Southern hotel in the morning on a sight-seeing trip.

ALBERTA WINTER WHEAT.

(Special to the Times.)

Calgary, Alb., June 24.—Winter wheat will be a quarter to a third crop. Much of the acreage is re-sown to oats. Growing crops look splendid and a large increase in the yield is expected from present indications.

NATURALIST DENOUNCES ZOOLOGICAL GARDENS

No Legitimate Excuse for Keeping Animals in Captivity.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Chicago, June 24.—That idle curiosity and not science is responsible for zoological gardens throughout the country, is the opinion of John Burroughs, the naturalist. After a visit to the homes of the caged beasts at Lincoln park here, he said:

"There is really no legitimate excuse for keeping these poor children of the wild in captivity. If I were the absolute ruler of this country every one of these animals would be turned back into the woods and fields. I do not know why we need zoological gardens. If we must keep animals for study they should be turned loose in large national parks where they can be free and live the lives intended for them by nature.

"Nobody gets any good from caged animals. They are only objects of idle curiosity."

"THE VIRGINIAN" ON TRIAL.

Original of Owen Wister's Hero Is Accused of Murder.

Philadelphia, June 24.—Charged with the murder of John Bradley, Charles D. Skirden, the original of the hero of Owen Wister's "Virginian," is on trial here to-day. Skirden formerly was a cowboy and plainsman and until recently was a member of the Philadelphia police force.

He is alleged to have shot and killed Bradley in this city on November 21st.

AUTO DELAYED BY DEEP SNOWDRIFTS

The Shawmut, Second Car in Transcontinental Race, Reaches Seattle.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Seattle, Wash., June 24.—The Shawmut car, second in the New York-to-Seattle race, arrived at the exposition grounds at 5.33 o'clock this morning, after an exhausting fight with the deep snow that fills the Snoqualmie pass in the Cascades. The machine was in charge of Driver T. A. Pettingill and Mechanic R. H. Messer. Owing to the early hour of arrival, no one was on hand to meet the racer, and the weary men in charge hurried to the nearest hotel and went to bed.

The long journey of the Shawmut was completed in 23 days 16 hours and 33 minutes, elapsed time.

The Ford car No. 1, which will finish third in the race, is reported to have passed through Snoqualmie pass at daybreak this morning, and should arrive at the finish line some time this afternoon.

QUININE TABLETS KILL BABY.

Sacramento, Cal., June 24.—As the result of eating thirty candy coated quinine tablets, two-year-old Mary Morrill lies dead at the home of her parents in this city. The baby found the tablets last night on a dressing table. Despite the efforts of physicians who were called, she died within two hours.

WORK DELAYED.

Dispute Between Contractors Regarding Haulage of Material to G. T. P. Shops.

Winnipeg, June 24.—Work on the million dollar National Transcontinental shops at Springfield is temporarily tied up owing to a dispute between contractors Haney, Quinlan and Robertson and J. D. McArthur, contractor for the transcontinental section affected, with regard to the haulage of material for the shops over the three miles of transcontinental connecting the shops with the Canadian Northern. The contract states that trains hauling these supplies shall have the right of way over this strip, but McArthur insists on getting mileage. The contractors have appealed to the transcontinental commission for a performance of contract, and are awaiting a decision. Work has stopped and several hundred men are idle.

SAYS WOMAN IS "ETERNAL SAVAGE"

CANNOT BE CIVILIZED, DECLARES PROF. STARR

"Sees" Signs in Everything, According to Chicago Scientist.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Chicago, June 24.—That woman is an "eternal savage" and that she "should not be civilized" is the opinion of Prof. Frederick Starr, famous scientist and ethnological expert of the Chicago University.

"Women are not civilized, and what is more they should not be," he declared. "Woman, the eternal savage, will always be a savage. Woman cannot be civilized because her fundamental nature is barbarous. It is better so, since the posterity, even the continuance of the race depends upon the rigid assertion of a fundamental difference between man and woman."

In his statement, Prof. Starr also declares that woman's religion "is also notably that of lower culture."

He says woman is always seeing signs in everything and that she is the chief supporter of spiritualistic mediums.

BANKERS MEET IN JOINT CONVENTION

Representatives of Oregon, Washington and Idaho Gather in Seattle.

Seattle, Wash. June 24.—The Tri-State Bankers' convention was called to order in the Moore theatre this morning with nearly six hundred financiers, representing the states of Washington, Oregon and Idaho in attendance. The present gathering in Seattle is the first time that the bankers of the three Pacific northwestern states have met in joint session since the Lewis and Clark exposition in Portland in 1905, when the Oregon association was formed. It is planned to hold separate conventions, with occasional joint sessions. The conventions will last three days.

This afternoon an official welcome will be extended to the members of the three associations in joint meeting. Governor Hay is expected to be on hand to deliver an address of welcome on behalf of the state. M. A. Arnold will welcome the visitors on behalf of the Associated Banks of Seattle, and the responses will be by the presidents of the Oregon, Washington and Idaho Bankers' Associations. The day's business will end with an address on "The Pacific Northwest from an Eastern Standpoint," by J. F. Allen, of New York city.

POSTOFFICE CLERK ACCUSED OF THEFT

Indicted in Connection With Recent Mail Robbery at Los Angeles.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Los Angeles, Cal., June 24.—Orlando F. Alterre, a clerk in the registry division of the postoffice, against whom the federal grand jury returned an indictment late yesterday charging him with the theft of $15,000 from a package sent by the First National Bank to the Bank of Bisbee, Ariz., is in custody to-day. He was arrested by United States Marshal Youngworth and Inspector O'Connell of the postal service.

Alterre was taken to the postoffice and given a thorough examination. He was then taken to the county jail and placed in a cell.

When arrested Alterre denied his guilt. He kissed his mother, Mrs. White, good-bye and expressed a willingness to go with the officers. A thorough search of his home failed to reveal any of the missing money.

The postoffice inspectors are looking for an alleged accomplice, whom they assert has the money.

TEXAS SENATOR ATTACKS TRUSTS

WOULD SEND THE ORGANIZERS TO PRISON

Doctrine of Free Admission of Raw Material is Denounced.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Washington, D. C., June 24.—Denouncing the doctrine of free admission to this country of raw material, Senator J. W. Bailey, of Texas, in the senate to-day made a savage attack upon the trusts, asserting that the only means of destroying them is to send their organizers and operators to the penitentiary.

"The doctrine of free raw material is unjust and undemocratic," asserted Mr. Bailey. "Instead of it being the policy of the Democratic party it was never accepted until 1886."

He then traced the history of the tariff to prove his assertions and continuing, said:

"The proposition to exempt manufacturers from the payment of a moderate duty on raw material is unjust and unequal. When the tariff is removed from raw materials it becomes necessary to increase the tariff on other articles in order to raise the revenues."

After dwelling for some time on this phase of the tariff, Bailey took up his attack on the trusts.

"If I were attorney-general of the United States," he declared, "I would take issue to dissolve the United States steel corporation. Nothing would result to curb the rapacity of that trust from placing iron ore on the free list.

"The only means of destroying the trusts and preventing the formation of others is to send their organizers and operators to the penitentiary."

"INSURGENTS" READY FOR LONG FIGHT

Will Try to Repeal Bills Passed by the Washington Legislature.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Olympia, Wash., June 24.—Working under the theory that because re-organization was defeated, the special session is proceeding under the rules adopted at the regular session of the legislature, members of the house "insurgents" in caucus late last night decided to introduce bills and attempt to repeal several laws passed at the recent session. They are of the opinion that the action of the victors in the speakership fight removed the barriers and that the way is open for any legislation that members care to consider.

An attempt will be made to repeal several appropriation bills, among them being, $190,000 for the Wenatchee bridge; Lake Washington canal, $250,000; Southwestern Washington state fair, $15,000; home for harmless insane, Skagit county, $75,000; Bellingham armory, $75,000; Washington Historical Society building, Tacoma, $25,000.

The anti-cigarette law, which has raised a storm of protest throughout the state, is one of the bills which an attempt will be made to change.

There is a sentiment, however, against continuing the session, and it may be strong enough to rule out all business except that pertaining to the insurance commissioner and other officers and departments investigated by the legislative committee.

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WALKING AROUND WORLD FOR PRIZE

New York Newspaper Men Will Leave Shortly for Alaska.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Portland, Ore., June 24.—Prof. Alfred Battelli, one of four newspapermen who are walking on a tour of the world for a prize of $80,000 offered by the International Geographical Society, is spending a few hours in Portland, having arrived here late yesterday.

Battelli is a New York correspondent for La Tribuna of Rome, and also represents many Italian papers in this country. The other three are Adolph Schneider, correspondent for a Berlin paper; Silvio Ortonas, representing Le Courier of Paris, and Albert Wilckes, of the New York American. Wilckes and Ortonas are travelling the southern route. Battelli will meet Schneider in Seattle and go to Alaska. In January, 1910, the four men will meet in San Francisco and go to the Philippines. The quartette will furnish data for a book to be printed in four languages. It will deal with the subjects of politics, universal conditions and science.

TRANSFERRED TO MONTREAL.

Winnipeg, June 24.—Rev. Dr. Sparling, who has been pastor of Grace Methodist church here for four years, has left for Montreal. He has been transferred to St. James' church there.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Man Caught by Shaft in Pumping Station on Ranch.

Sacramento, Cal., June 24.—Mutilated and stripped of its clothing, the body of Jos. Nevis, aged 26 years, member of a prominent family of this city, was found late last night wound around a shaft in the pumping station on the Nevis ranch in Yolo county. He had been missing since Sunday.

This is the second tragic death in the Nevis family within a year. Last spring M. S. Nevis, father of the young man, fell into a vat at his winery and was drowned.

NEGLECT STIRS KING OF ITALY

DECEIVED REGARDING CONDITIONS AT MESSINA

Little Progress Made Toward Restoration of the Ruined City.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Rome, via the frontier, June 24.—Accounts repeatedly published abroad, but suppressed in Italy, of the shockingly unsatisfactory state of affairs at Messina have begun to reach King Victor's ears in considerable numbers in the past few days, and persons in close touch with court circles are authority for the statement that he is making it exceedingly unpleasant for every one connected with the administration of the earthquake zone.

The King was horrified and very angry when he visited Messina, a few weeks ago, to find that practically no progress had been made toward the restoration of the ruined city. He expressed himself with great vigor and actually succeeded in injecting several days' activity into the authorities in charge of the work there. They quickly subsided again after he left, however.

Since then his Majesty has been completely deceived concerning the progress the officials were making. They reported everything moving satisfactorily, and the King supposed his visit had really awakened his subordinates to a sense of their responsibility. He will probably go to Messina again as soon as possible to stir matters up a second time, and may remain for a while to see, with his own eyes, that there is no further lapse in activity.

Whether there has been much dishonesty in the handling of relief funds is not clear. Some irregularities have been charged, but none have been proven. Considering that there had been no attempt to investigate any of the accusations this is not surprising. Sheer incompetency and bureaucratic red tape seem, however, to have been responsible for most of the trouble.

The Italian newspapers are not allowed to publish anything concerning the situation, nor will the government telegraph officials permit the transmission of news reflecting on the authorities, so that Italians generally, including the King, know practically nothing of the trouble except through the foreign press.

TWO WOMEN SEE HUSBANDS DROWN

Four Lives Lost by Sinking of Ferryboat in Columbia River.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Conconully, Wash., June 24.—Word has just reached here of the drowning of four men in the Columbia river on Tuesday afternoon by the sinking of a ferry boat. Bert and Rich Webber, prosperous farmers, with their hired man and twenty head of horses, were crossing on the boat when it broke loose and drifted down stream four or five miles, finally going to the bottom. All on board, including the ferryman were drowned.

The wives of the two farmers stood on the bank of the river and witnessed the drownings. The bodies have not been recovered.

LOSE MONEY BY SWITCHING CARS

Southern Pacific Company Replies to Complaints by Jobbers.

(Times Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Cal., June 24.—That it costs the railroads more to switch a car than the $2.50 charged shippers is the contention of the Southern Pacific Company in the action which is being heard to-day before Referee Lederman, representing the interstate commerce commission. The Pacific Coast Jobbers' and Manufacturers' Association has brought action before the commission to have the rate set aside, alleging that it is too high.

Richard J. Barry, statistician for the railroad, while on the witness stand late yesterday, showed figures that the actual cost of switching one car was $6.33.

HUNT FOR LING IS UNABATED

RENEWED ACTIVITY IN SAN FRANCISCO

Letters in Which Chinaman Threatened Life of Girl Handed to Police.

(Times Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Cal., June 24.—Under the direction of George McMahon, the famous Chinatown detective, a small army of police officers and plain clothesmen are scouring the waterfront today in search of Leon Ling, the Chinese slayer of Elsie Sigel, the New York missionary.

It is thought that Ling, if he is hiding in San Francisco, will not dare attempt to make his escape on the Pacific mail liner Manchuria, which sails for the Orient this afternoon. The ship is so carefully guarded that the Chinese would have but one chance in a thousand of getting away on her.

Suspect Released.

San Francisco, Cal., June 24.—(Later.)—A Chinese believed to be Leon Ling was arrested on board the Pacific mail liner Manchuria at noon to-day. The arrest was made by Captain of Detectives Peterson, of Oakland. After holding their prisoner but a few minutes the officers released him, after he had proved his identity to be other than Ling.

Threatening Letter.

New York, June 24.—Two letters, supposed to have been written by Leon Ling to Chu Gain, his rival for the affections of Elsie Sigel, were given to Assistant District Attorney Ward today by Attorney Regal, representing Gain.

Gain says the letters, which are written in Chinese, threatened both his life and that of the girl. Ward is having them translated.

Search in Chicago.

Chicago, June 24.—Thirty members of the Hip Sing Tong, of which Leon Ling, slayer of Elsie Sigel, is a member, came to Chicago from New York shortly after the girl was killed, according to information received by the police here to-day.

George Lee, a Chinese interpreter, gave the information to the police, who promptly assigned detectives to run down the invaders in the hope that some clue to the whereabouts of Leon might be gained. Although the local Chinatown is being searched thoroughly, no trace of the New York Tong men has been found.

White Girl Rescued.

New York, June 24.—Lydia Moffett, a white girl 17 years of age, was rescued yesterday from the flat above the chop suey restaurant where the body of Elsie Sigel was found, after being held prisoner for six days. Policeman Pritchard entered the flat by a fire escape and found the girl in company with a white man who was almost unconscious from opium. The girl said her clothes had been taken by her captors, so that she was unable to leave the place.

HAPPY WITH HER CHINESE HUSBAND

Sister of Catherine Gould is Pronounced in Her Opinions.

(Times Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Cal., June 24.—"I would rather be cut to pieces and put in a trunk by a Chinese husband than be tortured in court by a white husband like Howard Gould," was the astonishing statement made to-day by Mrs. Clemmons-Wong, sister of Catherine Clemmons Gould, and wife of Wong Sun Yue, a Chinese merchant of this city. After four years of Chinese honeymoon Mrs. Wong pronounced the Chinaman the ideal husband.

The white wife of Wong, whose marriage took place only after much family objection and occasioned wide comment, was reticent regarding the terrible murder of Elsie Sigel in New York last Friday, but averred that it formed no logical basis for a general opinion of Chinese-American attachment.

Speaking of the marital troubles of her sister, Catherine Gould Clemmons, and her millionaire husband, Mrs. Wong expressed no undecided opinion.

"I would a thousand times rather be the wife of a Chinese than of such a man as Howard Gould," she continued. "That is the worst fate I can conceive of. The Chinese worships his wife, whether she be white or yellow, and that's more than you can say of the average American. Furthermore, the Chinese husband won't permit his wife's name to be dragged about and her life flaunted before the public. When a Chinese is once married, he is married. What's more, he takes care of his wife.

"I'm happy in my home. My life with my husband has been perfect; for he, like other Chinese husbands, is gentle, considerate and an excellent provider. Surely my lot is happier than that of the so-called American wife, who never knows her marital status, and doesn't know what real married happiness can be."

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THE GOULD SUIT.

Dustin Farnum's Depositions Admitted at Hearing in New York.

New York, June 24.—Dustin Farnum's story of his acquaintance with Mrs. Howard Gould was told in a deposition introduced in evidence in the Gould separate maintenance suit today. The deposition was made by Farnum in Chicago and was published at that time.

There was some objection because Farnum did not appear in person at the trial. The attorneys finally agreed to admit the deposition with the understanding that the actor would appear in court if the case lasted until Monday.

Tirloch McSweeney, an old-age pensioner, at Cunnagh, County Donegal, claims that his ancestors can be traced back to Edmon, the first King of Ireland, in 1699 B. C.

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Hope to Create Deadlock.

Olympia, Wash., June 24.—(Later.)—Developments in the legislature this morning indicate that the opponents of Governor Hay laid a skilful parliamentary trap, by springing which they hope to prevent the removal of State Insurance Commissioner Schively. This is to line up the senate to insist on impeachment and refuse to consent to the abolishment of the office of insurance commissioner, while at the same time lining up the house to refuse to impeach but to insist on abolishing the office. In this way leaders of the anti-administration faction hope to cause a deadlock under which nothing can be accomplished.

The house this morning adopted a resolution limiting the special session to matters presented in the investigating committee's report, legislation regarding the insurance department, continuing the investigation of state offices, appropriation bills to cover expenses of the session, the Cosgrove funeral bill and minor relief bills.

SUBURBAN HANDICAP.

FitzHerbert Wins American Turf Classic at Sheepshead Bay.

New York, June 24.—Restigouche and FitzHerbert, coupled under the Hildreth colors, were pronounced favorites in the suburban handicap at Sheepshead Bay to-day. King's Daughter was second in the betting and Fayette a close third. The suburban handicap is the American turf classic, and called out a large crowd of horsemen to-day. A great deal of money, despite the "oral" restrictions, was bet on the race.

FitzHerbert Wins.

New York, June 24.—(Later.)—FitzHerbert won the suburban handicap. Alfred Noble finished second and Fayette third.

WAS LEON LING MURDERED?

Police Believe Chung Sing Has Not Told All Details of Tragedy.

New York, June 24.—The police this afternoon are investigating the theory that Leon Ling was killed at the same time Elsie Sigel, his supposed victim, was murdered. The contradictory stories told by Chung Sing, who told the police he saw Leon murder the girl, have aroused the suspicion that he is hiding a deeper and more significant version of the tragedy.

The police have discovered a telegram which purported to have been sent by Elsie Sigel from Washington. It was received by the girl's father on the night of June 9th, the day following the one on which she is supposed to have been murdered. The message was delivered to Paul Sigel by Arthur Yung, a close friend of Chu Gain, Leon's rival for the affections of the girl. Yung said he had received the message at No. 9 Mott street, which is the address of Gain's restaurant. Since then nothing has been seen of Yung. Gain denies any knowledge of Yung's whereabouts.

Gain has always posed as a sympathetic friend of the Sigel family, and throughout the time between the girl's disapeparance and the finding of her body he was busy searching for her. He was at the Sigel home a number of times, and always assured her parents that Elsie would return.

FULL WEIGHT PROMPT DELIVERY

EXPLOSION OF CARBIDE GAS

GORDON HALKETT INJURED ABOUT FACE

Inspector and Man in Hospital at Prince Rupert.

While overhauling the gas buoy at Skidegate, Gordon Halkett, inspector of lighthouses, and a man named Dennis, were badly injured by an explosion of carbide. News of the accident was received this afternoon by Capt. Gaudin, agent of marine and fisheries. The telegram stated that the explosion occurred while the buoy was being cleaned, and Mr. Halkett was badly injured about the face and eyes. The man Dennis was also injured. They were at once taken from Skidegate to Prince Rupert by the steamer Newington, and are now in the hospital at that place undergoing surgical treatment.

The steamer Newington, in charge of Capt. Barnes, left here May 8th with Mr. Halkett aboard for the purpose of overhauling all the buoys in the northern waters of British Columbia. They have been steadily engaged in the work without incident until this accident occurred. There is nothing to indicate what caused the accident, but it is probable that in filling the lamp with carbide a spark must have been struck which ignited the gas.

Mr. Halkett has many friends in Victoria who will be exceedingly sorry to hear of the accident. He is very popular in the department.

GREEN IS SEEKING NELSON NOMINATION

Large Wing of Conservative Party Opposed to His Candidature.

(Special to the Times.)

Nelson, B.C., June 24.—There is much speculation among local Conservatives regarding the appearance in Nelson of R. F. Green, prominent in the train of Premier McBride. At a Tory love feast held on Thursday at Proctor, Green was put forward rather too prominently to suit most Nelson Conservatives. The local Conservative association yesterday gave a picnic to Proctor in honor of McBride, and Green's name is prominent this morning in the local Tory paper.

Signs of heart-burning are visible to-day. It is locally notorious that there is more than one candidate in the Tory ranks for the Conservative nomination in Nelson next fall, when the general election is confidently expected. Talk here is that McBride is perplexed in his choice between local aspirants and is desirous of assisting Green's ambition to get into the legislature again, and is yielding to this motive and making an effort with brass band accompaniment to popularize Green for the Conservative nomination for Nelson. Such a move, however, would mean Conservative defeat here, judging from the known opposition of a large wing of the Conservative party in this city to the candidature of "Bob."

Little caucuses of the different Tory factions are observable on street corners to-day, and the situation inside the Conservative ranks is decidedly interesting. It is possible that the machine can railroad Green on the party, though not probable, but it is very unlikely that he could be elected.

COMMISSIONER ARRAIGNED.

Washingtotn State Insurance Official Violated Law.

Olympia, Wash., June 24.—The report and findings of the legislative investigating committee, submitted to the special session yesterday, is a severe indictment of the conduct of Insurance Commissioner J. H. Schively, and after a thorough review of all the evidence, brands him as "a corrupt and unworthy public official."

The committee finds Schively guilty of extorting fees from insurance companies for examinations and of giving certificates recommending insolvent companies and finds that Nicholas was cognizant of these violations of the law, whereby several thousand dollars were squeezed from solvent companies and irresponsible companies were enabled to collect thousands of dollars from policy holders.

The committee found serious defects in the new Eastern Washington hospital for the insane at Medical Lake, these not rendering the building unsafe, however, and censures the state board of control for accepting the structure. The Washington state fair at North Yakima was found to be too expensively managed, and the books and records not well kept. Minor faults were found in other state institutions and offices.

TWO FOUND DEAD.

San Francisco, June 24.—Stretched on the floor in a room on the third floor of a Golden Gate avenue lodging house, the lifeless bodies of Wm. Hariton, an employee of the Madison & Burke Realty Company, and Mrs. Kate Barnes, a waitress, were found early to-day.

Gaping bullet wounds in the head of each lead the police to believe that Hariton shot the woman and then turned the gun upon himself. The bodies were found by the landlady when she entered the room on her round of duties this morning.

Mrs. Barnes was 25 years of age and was employed in an Eddy street restaurant.

—The Centennial Sunday school intend holding their picnic on Dominion day. The committee of management have been fortunate in securing good grounds at Langford, where there are plenty of shade trees, and also good grounds suitable for sports. There will be hot and cold water free. Trains leave E. & N. station at 8, 9:30 and 11 a. m. and 1 p. m. Returning they leave Langford at 5, 6:50 and 8 p. m.

NEW ZEALAND WILL NOT RENEW SUBSIDY

Negotiations for Continuance of Direct Service Unsuccessful.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, June 24.—The government has been unable to secure a renewal of the contract for the subsidized Pacific service with New Zealand. The latter has declined to renew its half of the subsidy of $100,000 annually, and the Allen and Weir companies say they cannot handle a tender for any less amount for a direct service. Weir & Co. tendered at $92,000 for a service calling at San Francisco, a competing point, but the government declined to consider this. At present 90 per cent. of the trade of Canada with New Zealand goes via New York, and the government does not feel justified in increasing its share of the subsidy sufficient to make up the amount required by the steamship company to secure a continuance of the service. Last year the service cost the country about $1 in subsidy for every $7 worth of freight carried. Trade with New Zealand via the Pacific coast can now be handled via San Francisco.

REICHSTAG REJECTS GOVERNMENT MEASURE

Rumor That Chancellor Von Buelow Will Resign His Position.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Berlin, June 24.—Following the rejection to-day by the reichstag of the succession duty bill, after its second reading, it was rumored that Chancellor von Buelow would tender his resignation. This defeat of one of the chief measures of the government's financial reform programme is advanced as the cause of his reported decision.

The defeat of the bill to-day was brought about through a combination of the forces of the Conservatives and the Clericals. The vote was 195 against and 187 for the bill.

While the chancellor's rumored intention to resign his position is credited generally, persons who have been associated closely with him during the recent struggle in the reichstag affirm that the reports are without foundation and that the veteran statesman will take up the fight for the acceptance of the remainder of the reforms with renewed vigor.

In view of the Kaiser's recent speech at Hamburg, in which he branded as unpatriotic the opposition of the Conservatives to the programme, his attitude concerning the reichstag's action is awaited expectantly.

NO TRACE OF MEN WHO HELD UP TRAIN

Reward of $7,500 Offered for Capture of the Bandits.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Vancouver, B. C., June 24.—In spite of the fact that nearly a hundred men are on a search for the bandits who held up the C. P. R. express on Wednesday, no real clue to the robbers has been found. It is expected they have divided up and are making for the international boundary. In addition to the $2,500 reward offered by the government the C. P. R. announce a reward of $5,000 for the capture of the bandits dead or alive.

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Time, :55 4-5.

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LONE HIGHWAYMAN HOLDS UP STAGE

Relieves Passengers of Cash and Jewelry and Steals Express Box.

Nevada City, Cal., June 24.—Holding up the Allegheny-Downieville stage five miles from here yesterday, a lone highwayman robbed passengers of $200 in cash and all of their jewelery and carried off a Wells-Fargo express box containing $1,400. Sheriff Walker, with a possee, is pursuing the bandit.

The rober was the most daring road-agent who has operated in the west in late years. He carelessly flung his gun on the ground while searching the passengers, and went about his work unarmed.

After searching all of the passengers and seizing the Wells-Fargo box, the robber compelled the driver to whip up his horses and remained standing in the road until the vehicle was out of sight.

BEARS NO RESENTMENT.

Schwab Thinks Morse's Intentions Were All Right.

New York, June 24.—That Chas. M. Schwab can lose considerable money and still bear no grudge against the man who caused him to sustain the loss, was shown yesterday by the steel man's comments on the temporary freeing of Chas. W. Morse, the convicted "ice king."

The first question Schwab levelled at newspapermen who greeted him aboard the North German Lloyd liner Kaiser Wilhelm II., was, "How's Charley Morse?"

When told that Morse had been released on bail, Schwab said:

"Good, I am glad of it. I always believed that Morse was more sinned agansti than sinning. He is one of the most likable men I know, and although I have lost big money through his ventures, I still think his intentions were all right. He was over enthusiastic, over-smart, so to speak.

"Every one who can, I think, should extend a helping hand to Morse. Although his liabilities are very large, I think he could straighten himself out if they gave him a chance."

FETE IN AID OF CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

Leaders of Society Take Part in Event in London.

London, June 24.—A big society fete, in which the nobility is taking an active part, opened yesterday at Olympia. It is in aid of the hospital for sick children. Life at Versailles in the reign of Louis XIV. is represented. The fete will continue to-day and Friday.

That the hospital will profit handsomely there is no doubt. Among the aristocratic stall tenders are the Duchesses of Westminster, Devonshire, Beaufort, Newcastle, Ruttland, Wellington, Somerset, Marlborough, formerly Miss Vanderbilt, and Roxburg, once Miss Goelet, the Princess Alexis Dolgorouki and Piess, the Countesses of Pembroke and Cromer, Lady Sarah Wilson and Mrs. Waldorf-Astor.

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Mrs. Captain Clinansmith, Salvation Army, Essex, Ont., writes:

"It is with pleasure that I write to you in praise of Dr. Chase's Ointment. Two years ago I was taken with a severe attack of protruding piles and became so bad that I had to keep my bed and could lie in no position except on my stomach. Doctors could give me no help and the various oils and ointments used proved of no avail.

"One Saturday night when I was suffering untold agony my husband went to the drug store for a box of Dr. Chase's Ointment which I had heard of as a cure for piles. Although I had almost given up hope, to the wonder of those around me I was able to be up on Monday and have had no difficulty from piles since. As a treatment for all kinds of sores and burns, Dr. Chase's Ointment works like magic."

Dr. Chase's Ointment, 60 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

North Yakima, Wash., June 24.—Fred Carpenter, formerly of this city, was struck by lightning and killed on a ranch at Mountain Home, Idaho. This word was received by his relatives here. The deceased was about 22 years of age and was born here. He lived on a ranch in the Moxee until a little over a year ago, when he went to Idaho. He soon became dissasitfied, and was about to return when he was killed.

SUNLIGHT SOAP

CHINAMAN RESCUES MAYOR OF SAUSALITO

Pulls Chief Executive From Reservoir Into Which He Had Fallen.

Sausalito, Cal., June 24.—To Sing Fat, celestial dispenser of onions and cabbages, the municipality of Sausalito probably owes the life of its chief executive. Sing rescued his honor from a watery grave in a municipal reservoir and is the hero of the city.

While strolling through the suburbs Mayor Jacques Thomas stopped to measure the depth of the water in the city reservoir. In some way his foot slipped and he found himself floundering in the chill water.

The sides of the tank were of cement, and in addition to this, were mossgrown and slippery. The mayor decided he had little chance of escape through his own efforts, and while he paddled about, he made the hill resound with robust calls for help.

Sing was plodding along the road with his baskets swung over his shoulders. Prompt to respond, he thrust his basket pole to the shivering dignitary, and after a series of muscular feats, brought the mayor to land at the end of his staff.

PASTEURIZATION OF MILK.

Will Not Solve Problem of Pure Supply.

Detroit, June 24.—Business and pleasure divided equally yesterday's programme for the hundreds of homeopathic physicians from all over the United States who are attending the 65th annual meeting of the American Institute of Homeopathy, now in session in this city, with a number of affiliated societies and bureaus.

The Bureau on Sanitary Science and Public Health and the Bureau of Pedology were the two sectional meetings which followed the general discussion of the institute. Various papers on questions of public health and sanitation were presented at the sanitary science meeting.

At the session of the bureau of sanitary science and public health, Dr. Chas. H. Higgins, of the Dominion department of agriculture at Ottawa, read a paper on "Tuberculosis of Animals and Men," in which he held that the dead tubercle bacilli increased the susceptibility of the consumer to tuberculosis, and therefore "pasteurization of milk is not the panacea that some of its advocates would have us believe."

MUST PAY FOR LOGS.

Decision in Action Against the Vancouver Lumber Company.

Vancouver, June 23.—An action for $12,000 was heard before Mr. Justice Irving in the Supreme court to-day. The plaintiffs, Messrs. C. H. Edmonds and A. P. Norman, sued the Vancouver Lumber Company for the value of logs which they claim were purchased by the company from their property on Price channel. In 1906 H. Wright, a timber cruiser, staked 640 acres of timber lands, and described a corner post on his claim as about one mile west of Elizabeth island. A year later the plaintiffs staked another claim in the same locality. Upon surveys being made, it was found that the corner post of Wright's claim was about a mile and a half west of Elizabeth island; instead of being only one mile west. The two claims were then found to overlap. The owners of the old claim sold a quantity of logs to the Vancouver Lumber Company, and the plaintiffs claimed that these logs were on their property. A verdict was given for the plaintiffs for $680.

POISONED ICE CREAM.

Seattle Boy Dies After Forty-Eight Hours' Illness.

Seattle, Wash., June 24.—According to his physician, Martin E. Breidenstein, 16 years old, living at 1033 Henderson street, died Saturday as a direct result of eating poisoned ice cream. Dr. Scott P. Woodin, of Georgetown, who attended Breidenstein, certified in a death certificate filed with the commissioner of health, that ptomaine poisoning from ice cream was probably directly responsible.

"I cannot state positively that Breidenstein died of poisoning directly due to ice cream," said Dr. Woodin. "However, he was taken ill after eating a lunch of ice cream, a glass of milk and some pie, and there is nothing in the combination to have killed a healthy lad. The boy was sick forty-eight hours. This case emphasizes the necessity of having a law governing the standard of ice cream manufacture," said Dr. J. E. Crichton, commissioner of health, "Ice cream which contains sufficient gelatine will stand up for a number of days, and during that time tyrotoxin germs grow rapidly."

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DISMEMBERMENT OF THE PARK.

The zeal of Dr. Helmcken, Sr., for popular rights in Beacon Hill Park is well meant, but we cannot help thinking that in this case it is misdirected—that, not to put too fine a point upon it, the genial doctor is levelling his lance at Wind mills. We do not believe the directors of the bowling club have any designs whatever upon the integrity of the park. Nor do we believe there is the slightest ulterior design in the manner in which they have acquired whatever rights they may have there. Perhaps it would have been better for the bowlers themselves if they had acquired a green elsewhere, because then they would have had a property absolutely under their own control and considerable controversy would also have been avoided. But the green is established, and any unprejudiced person who compares the condition of that portion of the city's property to-day with its condition previously cannot but admit that the improvement is most marked. It has been converted from what was practically a morass into a most attractive piece of level ground, upon which a large number of persons can enjoy a most healthful and invigorating pastime. As a result of this improvement the rights of the public have not been curtailed in the slightest degree. The people are not enjoined from trespassing by the erection of a fence. The green is open; the only restriction upon it is the respect which every right-minded person instinctively feels for a well-kept lawn or garden.

The doctor himself agrees that the work is very good and the objects of it desirable. What he objects to is the principle of any portion of the park being restricted to the use of any set of individuals and especially does he resent the erection by the club of a pavilion in the park. He holds that if a bowling green is a desirable thing, the city ought to have laid out and should maintain the one in the park for the use of all the people. We grant the force of the contention. But everyone knows what would have happened had a deputation awaited upon the last or the present council and asked that a public bowling green be constructed in the park. And even if the city had laid out a green we doubt very much whether it would have proved more beneficial from a public point of view than the one constructed under private auspices promises to be. There are public bowling greens in other cities, for the use of which a fee is charged. If the doctor can persuade the council that the privileges granted the club in the park are a menace to the rights of the people in that park, we have no doubt the members of the club would be willing to dispose of their improvements at a valuation. But we do not think there is any desire on the part of the public for such action. In fact, we believe ninety-nine hundredths of the people believe the establishment of the green has added distinctly to the attractions of the park and would resent any attempt at dispossession.

"HOCH DER KAISER!"

Notwithstanding a recent severe rebuff at the hands of his chancellor, the Kaiser still appears to take himself very seriously. He says he and his esteemed royal brother of Russia hold the destinies of their respective nations in the hollows of their hands and are directly responsible to God for the faithful execution of their trusts. It is, on the whole, satisfactory to know that Wilhelm is in such a meek frame of mind as to acknowledge a superior in the Maker and Director of the universe. Some irreverent persons have hinted at a disposition on the part of his Majesty to deny the Deity anything more than a mere partnership, and that a junior partnership, in the direction of the destinies of the German Empire. It may be that the rebuke of von Bulow has had something to do with a reduction in the dimensions of the Kaiser's conception of his position in the world. However that may be, the German people seem inclined to think that their sovereign is responsible to them as well as to God for the manner in which he discharges his trust. Their representatives in the Reichstag hold like opinions and are inclined to assert their authority by refusing to sanction constantly increasing expenditures upon military and naval armaments. The burdens were heavy enough to bear when the military establishment was the apple of the great Kaiser's falcon eye. Now that his Majesty has set his mind upon the construction of a navy in keeping with the standard of the most powerful army the world has ever seen, there is a disposition to grumble—not, it is true, upon the part of officialdom, but certainly upon the part of the classes upon whose shoulders the burdens weigh most heavily. What is the result of the gratification of this ambition which must be ascribed in its original conception to the pride and lust of power of the Emperor? We have it on the very highest financial authority that, although the rate of taxation in Germany has been steadily rising from year to year, the revenue is not sufficient to meet current expenditures and that the extraordinary military and naval programmes have to be carried on with borrowed money. The actual situation is that Germany's national credit is about equal in the money markets to that of a third-rate power. Now the Germans are an eminently practical people. They are an educated people. They are a thinking people. They have been steadily striving to gain a control of their political affairs equal at least to the control the people of English-speaking countries have over their affairs. Is it conceivable that they will tolerate for any considerable length of time the tremendous load of taxation that is being heaped upon their shoulders merely for the gratification of the personal vanity of the man who boasts that he holds the destiny of this empire of nearly seventy millions in the hollow of his hands and is responsible only to God for the manner in which he executes his assumed trust?

Already there are signs in the German Reichstag of a rebellion against this insane policy of wanton extravagance. But for the control of this body still remaining in the hands of the sovereign there would be a dissolution and an appeal to the people. If the government were responsible to the electorate instead of to the Kaiser for the manner in which it discharges its trust, as in the case of nations which are really free, there is every indication that a speedy termination would be put to the programme of unbridled Imperial ambition.

If his Worship the Mayor will pardon the figure, the amended Parks Board appears to have "taken the bit in its teeth."

A large part of the world seems to be deeply interested in Canada, if tenders of good advice and offices are to be accepted as evidences of interest. The Chicago Tribune says: "No one will question the right of Canada to have a navy if Great Britain shall have no objection, and there is no reason to suppose it will. The expediency of the project may well be questioned. The resources of the Dominion are limited. There are many internal improvement projects on which money could be expended at much more purpose than a navy. A Georgian Bay ship canal would be of more service to Canada. If it cheapened wheat in England by reducing the cost of transportation of Canadian grain, Englishmen would receive a greater benefit than they would from a few cruisers. Canada needs no navy for its own protection on the Atlantic or Pacific coast. No nation which was at war with Great Britain would be likely to attack it, for nothing would be gained by it. The Canadian policy should be to keep out of European complications and wars, shun militarism and develop its vast natural resources."

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Just as an antedote to the opinions expressed of women by Professor Starr of Chicago, we quote the following opinion of men recently published by Mrs. Belmont, a society woman of New York: "Oh! do you think women care for men? I think that if most women over 18 told the truth they would say that they hate men. But, of course, under the present unjust and unequal conditions they conceal their feelings. How many wives would dare to tell their husbands what they really think of them? How long would the husbands live with them if they did." What can the watchman upon the walls of this old world think about the prospects of the future when men and women are speaking in such a way about each other?

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What can the women of the country think of the position assigned them in the order of creation by Professor Starr? Barbarians, with no hope of redemption by process of evolution. Perhaps the professor merely had the American woman in his mind when giving expression to his startling theory. In any case he is from Chicago University, an institution which has astonished the world, or tried hard to astonish it, by the weirdness of its thoughts and theories upon every conceivable subject.

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The value of the mineral output of British Columbia has been slightly less during the past two years than it was for the year 1906. The decline is due to the low price of copper, which in turn was caused by the general industrial depression. The tide is turning, however, and the prosepects are bright for the current year. The value of the mineral products of the province for the year 1908 was close to twenty-four million dollars.

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Would it be safe to predict that there will be no great rush for berths in that new airship that is going to make the first trip across the Atlantic Ocean? Anyhow of one thing we are quite sure—and it is that our esteemed contemporary across the way, which professes to be a firm believer in the practicability of aerial navigation, if it engaged a passage, would insist upon a lifeboat being part of the equipment.

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The Colonist, we are pained to observe, has not yet deigned to give the public its valued opinion on the ruling topic of the day, the morality or immorality, the honesty or dishonesty, of the vice of betting. Perhaps the subject is being reserved for a special discourse in the Sunday edition.

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Abdul the accursed also thought he held in the hollow of his hand the destinies of the Ottoman empire. And his sublime majesty is now lower in estate than the meanest inmate of his late harem.

What Other People Think

BEACON HILL PUBLIC PARK—STARTLING.

To the Editor:—At a meeting of the board of parks commissioners, October 19th, 1908, the Mayor, Alderman Henderson, and Messrs. G. E. Wilkerson, Jno. Nelson and J. B. Pemberton being present, passed the following resolution (published in full in the Times of February 1st, with correspondence):

"That permission be granted to Messrs. Oliphant, Young, McGregor, et al, to create a bowling green on Beacon Hill park on the understanding that such permission shall not interfere with the use of that portion of the park used by the Albion Cricket Club, known as the Albion Cricket Club grounds, and further on the understanding that it shall confer no exclusive privileges, and that it is granted subject to the pleasure of the public parks board. All work connected with the bowling green to be carried out under the supervision of the public parks board."

It has always been and is still contended that the above resolution was ultra vires of the board. In January, viz., three months after the passage of the above "resolution," the association not having yet been incorporated, an excitement and dissatisfaction arose on account of Messrs. Oliphant, etc., being about to erect a house in Beacon Hill park. The association had not been registered. This was brought to the notice of the Mayor to stop the work, but no official action being taken they continued building until its completion, viz., the now Beacon Hill Park Bowling Green Company's club house.

The Oliphant association had not been incorporated, but by a singular coincidence as to time and circumstances, the following very startling notice appeared in the Government Gazette of January 21st, 1909. (I did not see or know of the notice until a few days ago):

IN THE MATTER OF THE "BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES ACT," R. S. B. C., 1897, C. 13, AND AMENDING ACTS.

We, the undersigned residents of the city of Victoria, in the province of British Columbia, hereby declare:

1. That we, and our associates, are desirous of forming an athletic club or association, under the provisions of the "Benevolent Societies Act" above mentioned.

2. The name of the association is "Beacon Hill Park Bowling Club."

3. The objects for which the association is formed are: For providing means of recreation, exercise and amusement by means of an athletic club, and amongst other things to provide and maintain bowling greens.

4. The names of the first trustees are: Messrs. William Oliphant, Lewis Hall, D. D. England, Jno. Arbuthnot, G. N. Young, G. L. Milne, W. D. McGregor, G. H. Barnard, J. A. Sayward, Noah Shakespeare, P. J. Riddell, D. Menzies, Jno. A. Turner and A. T. Monteith.

5. The trustees shall hold office for one year, and their successors shall be appointed by ballot at any general meeting of the association.

WM. McGREGOR.
E. W. STUBINGTON.

Made and declared before me at the city of Victoria the 12th day of January, 1909, by William D. McGregor and Ernest W. Stubington.

SYDNEY CHILD,
A Notary Public within and for British Columbia.

Previous to this resolution, the Oliphant et al Company had not been incorporated. Any ordinary person reading the above notice would consider it a notice of an ordinary benevolent association to carry on business outside, not inside, the park, but when the initiated find that the title of the association is Beacon Hill Park Bowling Club, the notice has an altogether startling meaning, in that it implies that a private company desires the acquisition of a probably large portion of Beacon Hill park, and further will be astonished to find that the names of the Mayor, some civic councilman, trustees and members of the parks board, to whom the application must be made, appear amongst the applicants. It is just now an open secret that the company desire the acquisition of the four-acre cricket field or other portion. It is left for the public to comment on this state of affairs. The matter is a mole-hill to-day easily destroyable, but if neglected now will become a mountain. The Mayor has stated that the council must have a majority of official members on the parks board.

Please remember that applications for other portions of the park may be made by other real or fictitious associations and afterwards merged by connivance or otherwise into the Beacon Hill Bowling Club and thus the company may become a "trust" and masters of a large portion of the park. This may not be the intention of the trustees, but will be the result of their economic policy. Will the trustees disregard their sacred trust and so hand over to a mixed gigantic "athletic association" a large portion of the public park?

Economy! Is giving away to-day what will become in a short time invaluable and absolutely necessary to the welfare of the citizens, owners, economy? The park was certainly not intended chiefly for sport and sports, and there is no urgency just now for more. Whatever is to be done in this line must be done and regulated by the trustees at the public expense or cost. All these givings away of the use of the park are subject to "the pleasure of the parks board." Everyone knows this to be mere rubbish, a blind and practically, as human nature goes, almost impossible. May not the parks board be as now interested individuals? (Not pecuniarily.) What is given away now is virtually a gift for ever. Let the parks board act now and prevent the thing becoming an incontrollable union and defiant giant. Prevention is better than cure.

J. S. HELMCKEN.

Victoria, June 22nd, 1909.

POLICE APATHY.

To the Editor:—The rate at which automobiles are driven through our streets is appalling. Fort street is one of the favorite speeding places for these engines, and the by-law is transgressed every day and every hour without calling forth a remonstrance from the policemen, who, dressed in their becoming London uniforms, gaze with an air of listless indifference as the transgressors whirl by raising a cloud of dust when they go as if hurling defiance at the municipal ordinance and showing contempt for everything that stands for public security. At the close of the races each day there is a mad struggle on the part of chaffeurs to carry as many loads as possible to town, and all precautions and rules are cast aside.

Before the races began Chief Langley applied for and got additional constables. What are these extras doing for the protection of life and property on the public highways? Nothing. How many charioteers have been summoned for violation of the speed by-law? None. Is it a fact that the police force have been instructed not to interfere with the automobile drivers until something happens? And what, pray, is that "something"? A dead man, woman or child, offered up as a sacrifice to police neglect and inefficiency.

CIVIS.

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Canon Henson of Westminster Abbey Will Address Members.

On Wednesday of next week the Canadian Club of this city will have for guest of honor at luncheon a distinguished guest in the person of Rev. H. H. Henson, canon of Westminster Abbey. The canon is well known throughout the English-speaking world as a splendid speaker and a man of fine character. He is making a tour of this part of the world for recreation and the club is to be congratulated on the fact that he has seen fit to accept their invitation.

Tickets for the luncheon will be on sale Monday and Tuesday next at Hibben's or the Victoria Book and Stationery Co.'s stores.

—The death occurred at the Royal Jubilee hospital to-day of Napier Kingsbury, aged 79 years. Deceased was born in Maine and had lived in Victoria for 20 years. He was a lumberman. The remains have been removed to Hanna's undertaking parlors. The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

—Thirteen Chinese passengers and one first class will leave for the Orient this afternoon on the Empress of India. The first class passenger is Miss E. F. Noel, who has been staying at the Oak Bay hotel. She is going to Yokohama.

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An address of welcome was given the visiting delegates by Bishop Perrin.

An invitation was received from the representative of Walla Walla to hold the convention there next year, and an invitation to go to Seattle in place of Walla Walla was also extended. A discussion took place on the merits of the two places for the purpose of holding next year's session. One delegate thought the convention ought not to be sidetracked to Walla Walla, while the Seattle invitation was offered. Upon this announcement a motion was made that a committee be appointed to go into the matter and report later to the convention. Before the matter was decided, however, the delegate from Walla Walla arose and said he had not expected any conflicting discussion on the matter, he had simply been the bearer of an invitation to the clericus, and as it had been received by some unfavorably the invitation must stand withdrawn.

Bishop Perrin, however, put the motion that a committee go into the question and report later, which was carried.

Bishop Perrin then referred to the formation of an ecclastical province west of the Rocky Mountains. He told the conference what had occurred regarding the matter at the Ottawa conference, but thought that while a western province would be sure to come in the future, he could not expect to see it realized before next year. The conference then went on to discuss the lines to be followed by the meeting during the present session, and before the discussion was completed the adjournment took place.

This afternoon a garden party is being held on the grounds at Bishopsclose, and at 8 o'clock this evening a special service marking the fiftieth anniversary of the foundation of the bishopric of Columbia.

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Every district in the island is represented and all the specimens have the place where they were mined clearly stated. There are specimens of coal from the Wellington mines at Ladysmith and Comox and of marble from Nootka, and secretaries of branch leagues are being asked to obtain and send in good specimens of ore from each mine in their district, to be added to the collection.

The Development League is also getting space in the C. P. R. building in which an exhibit of the varied resources of the island will be placed. The new guide to Victoria is expected to be ready by the end of the month, when some 20,000 copies will be available. Between 5,000 and 10,000 will be distributed at the fair. 1,500 will be handed over to the free text-book branch of the department of education, and the rest will be distributed through railways, steamships and hotels and through citizens generally.

Secretary McGaffey has been working diligently of late looking after the preparation of this literature and getting the exhibits ready, and the island is getting an amount of advertising it never got before.

WHOLESALE GROCERS MEETING HERE

Banquet Being Held To-night at Empress Hotel and Business Continued To-morrow.

The delegates to the annual meeting of the Wholesale Grocers' Exchange of Canada are in town and are meeting this afternoon. The eastern delegates were to have arrived this morning, but owing to delay of the train they did not arrive in time.

To-night a banquet will be held in the Empress hotel, and to-morrow morning the sessions will be continued at 10. It is not certain when the convention will close, but it is possible that the business may be completed by noon to-morrow.

The local members of the exchange are arranging for the entertainment of the guests who will remain here until Saturday.

PERSONAL.

Hon. W. Templeman, minister of mines and of inland revenue, returned to the city last night. Mrs. Templeman and his secretary, B. C. Nicholas, who accompanied him to the Coast, arrived in Victoria by the afternoon steamer, Mr. Templeman remaining in Vancouver for a few hours longer on business. The minister and Mrs. Templeman will spend a month or two on the Coast.

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Prof. E. G. Wickens leaves to-morrow by the steamer Ella, of the Jebsen line, for Mexico. He will spend a six weeks' vacation there, visiting various points, including Mexico City and Vera Cruz. Prof. Wickens is a firm friend of Victoria and will distribute some city advertising literature during his trip.

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Mr. and Mrs. Waxstock have left to enjoy a week's holiday in Vancouver. They will then leave for Seattle's fair and stay for an indefinite period.

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—Notice.—Photographs greatly reduced in price until August 1st at Foxall's studio, 1111 Government street.

—Prices cut short on pure silk and silk Lisle long gloves, Perrin's make. Regular 75c and 85c. Special price, 60c. —Robinson's Cash Store, 642 Yates St.

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—To Seattle, fast S. S. "Iroquois" leaves daily at 9 a. m.

—Nothing to compare with V. I. Panetela Cigar.

—The Coast Locators report a very satisfactory movement in real estate this week. Their recent sales include four of their own houses, three vacant lots and some valuable acreage. This company makes a specialty of placing on the market houses of which it is the exclusive owner.

—Fine embroidered waists for summer wear of fine muslin, organdie and lawns. Regular $3.25, $3.50 and $4.25. Special price $2.85.—Robinson's Cash Store, 642 Yates street.

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LISLE HOSIERY, from 75c per pair down to ..... 25¢
TAFFETA FLANNEL SHIRTS at $5 and $3.50
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—Last night a number of the members of the First Congregational church went out to the Old Men's Home and treated the inmates to a strawberry social and entertainment. Songs, solos and recitations were given by Mrs. McKay, Miss Howell, Messrs. Collins, Johnson, Harworth, Kenley and T. Harman. Mr. West gave some very good sleight-of-hand tricks. Rev. H. A. Carson addressed the old men in words of encouragement.

—No pains are being spared by the committee in charge of the St. Andrew's cathedral outing at Goldstream on Dominion day, July 1st, to secure very handsome prizes for the many competitive races on the lengthy programme. Arrangements have been perfected with the E. & N. railway to run special trains at the following hours: 8, 9.30, 11 a.m. and 1, pm. Return specials will leave Goldstream at 5, 6.50 and 8 p.m.

—Four drunks were fined the usual amounts this morning in the police court, all having pleaded guilty. D. Jeffrey, on remand, charged with having no visible means of support, pleaded not guilty. Evidence was given that accused had been in the city about three months, and had not been known to work during that time. He had been under medical supervision while three days in jail, and was sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labor. His principal complaint was held by the physician to be laziness.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church held their annual strawberry festival last night and were very successful, both in regards to the attendance and to the character of the entertainment given. Rev. Dr. Campbell, the pastor of the church, presided, and in his remarks during the evening referred to the work the ladies of the congregation had always done for the church, and to the fact that this festival was a sort of semi-official celebration of his seventeen years' pastorate. A very enjoyable programme was rendered by the following ladies and gentlemen: Misses Black, Sexsmith, Wilson, J. Wilson, Harkness and McKenzie, and Messrs. Redman, Morrison and Brown. Mrs. Lewis Hall acted as accompanist.

—The funeral of the late George Winter, jr., took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence, Burleith lodge, Craigflower road, at 2.45 o'clock. The cortege then proceeded to St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Douglas street, where the Rev. W. Leslie Clay conducted impressive services. There was a large attendance of sympathizing friends, and the members of the Ancient Order of Foresters also attended in a body. A large number of beautiful floral offerings were sent which testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held. At the graveside Bro. J. Levy, past chief ranger of Court Northern Light, conducted the last rites of the A. O. F. The following acted as pallbearers: A. Fortune, S. Heybourne, A. McNeil, J. R. Collister, G. Tindall and W. Buckett.

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CONCERT AT GORGE TO-MORROW NIGHT

Excellent Programme Will Be Given Under Charge of J. G. Brown.

The concert at the Gorge to-morrow night, given under the auspices of the Daughters of Pity, promises to be a rare treat. The programme is in charge of Mr. J. G. Brown, with Mrs. Lewis Hall as accompanist, and is as follows:

Part Song—Medley of Scottish Songs.. ..... Choir
Song—McGregor's Gathering ...P. Gordon
Song ..... Miss Cocker
Song—Success to Bonnie Scotland .... Mr. Morrison
Dancing—Highland Fling ... Miss Murray
Male Voice Trio—A Man's a Man for a' That .....
Messrs. Gordon, Morrison and McLonie
Part Song—The Chevalier's Roll Call (by request) ..... Choir
Interval.
Part Song—The Deil's Awa' ..... Choir
Song ..... Miss Sehl
Song—Death of Nelson ..... W. Galt
Piccolo Solo—Thro' the Air .... G. H. Larrigan
Song ..... J. G. Brown
Part Song—Fantasia on Scottish Song. ..... Choir

The concert will commence sharp at 8.30 p. m.

—First Lieut. Sans, of H. M. S. Algerine, was removed to the St. Joseph's hospital yesterday morning suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

—The funeral of the late Rev. Alexander Wsley Dever will take place to-morrow evening at 2.30 o'clock from the Victoria West Methodist church. Rev. A. E. Roberts will officiate.

—The Sunday school of the Church of our Lord have arranged to hold their annual picnic on Saturday, July 3rd, at Sidney. Tickets will be ready for distribution and sale next Sunday. It is intended to provide two regular meals, and contributions in cash or in kind will be welcomed.

—The funeral of the late John J. Cowley took place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the B. C. Funeral Furnishing Company's parlors, where the Rev. John Grundy conducted an impressive service. There was a large attendance of old-time friends and many flowers were sent. The following acted as pallbearers: W. Clark, J. Dean, J. P. Burgess, H. Moss, C. D. Mara and Mr. Crow.

—A "Back to Montreal Celebration" will be held in that city September 15th to 20th, when all old-timers of Montreal will meet for a reunion. All old Montrealers are invited to communicate with W. E. Findlay, president of the celebration. An elaborate programme has been prepared. The patrons of the reunion include Sir Hugh Graham, Sir Montague Allan, Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, Charles M. Hayes, Lewis Payette, Brigadier L. Buchan.

—Fire Chief Thomas Davis has introduced into the fire department a new life-saving drill. A life-sized dummy has been rigged, and is daily being picked up and down the ladders by the men during the daily ladder drill. The drill was done yesterday for the first time, and caused much amusement to men and spectators. Its value, however, is fully recognized by the men, and they are assidious in their efforts to handle the package with the utmost speed and attention to directions given by the chief.

WOMAN'S DEPARTMENT FOR THIS YEAR'S FAIR

Agricultural Society Orders New Buildings on Grounds.

The British Columbia Agricultural Society contemplate the expenditure of large sums of money on improvements at the fair grounds. At the last meeting of the association the directors decided to build the much-needed women's building for the display of women's exhibits and the art department.

The cost of this building will be $8,000. It will be stationed just inside the entrance gates on the left-hand side of the ground, and will measure 100 feet by 50 feet.

Another improvement ordered is a glass roof for the horse-show building. Other minor improvements have been put into effect.

The B. C. Agricultural Society has sent for distribution to the Seattle fair large packages of postal cards of the local exhibition grounds and buildings. The posters for the next exhibition, designed by J. E. Smart, secretary, are ordered, and many will be sent to the fair as soon as they are printed. The society intends to make this year's fair the biggest on record for the city.

PRETTY WEDDING AT SPRING RIDGE CHURCH

Mr. J. M. Nicholson and Miss Field Joined in Marriage.

A very pretty wedding took place yesterday afternoon in the Spring Ridge Methodist school room, the contracting parties being Miss Maude Louise Field, eldest daughter of Mr. William Field, and Mr. John Malcolm Nicholson, both of Victoria. The Rev. T. E. Holling officiated and Mrs. Kirkendale presided at the organ.

The ceremony took place beneath a beautiful floral bell made by Mr. Arthur Charlton. It was composed of white carnations, and was suspended from an arch of ivy intertwined with white carnations and spirea, the work of the bride's girl friends.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was very becomingly attired in a cream princess grenadine, trimmed with strappings and rosettes of narrow satin ribbon, made with shined yoke and sleeves of pointe d'esprit, finished with touches of gold embroidered net. She wore a veil and orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Florence Field, in a dainty bridesmaid's dress of white organdie over pink, with white picture hat, and carrying a bouquet of cream roses and pink carnations. Mr. George Field, brother of the bride, was best man, and Messrs. Morden, Wilson and Alex. Campbell acted as ushers.

Immediately after the ceremony, which was witnessed by a great many friends, a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, 1041 North Park street, at which only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties were present.

A great many handsome and useful presents were received. The groom's gift to the bride was a pearl sunburst, to the bridesmaid he gave a pretty gold brooch, and to the best man a gold watch chain locket.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson left on the Princess Charlotte last evening for Seattle, the bride traveling in a handsome tailored suit with becoming hat. The young couple will make their home in Revelstoke.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, June 24.—5 a. m.—High barometric pressure covers the North Pacific Coast, and fair, warmer weather is likely to be general. Rain has been general throughout this province, and showers have occurred in Alberta and Saskatchewan. Intense heat still continues in California and Nevada.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday.

Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh southerly and westerly winds, fair to-day and Friday.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fair and warmer to-day and Friday.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 51; minimum, 50; wind, 16 miles S. W.; rain, .08; weather, part cloudy.

New Westminster—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Nanaimo—Wind, 10 miles N. W.; weather, fair.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles S. W.; rain, .10; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, 36; minimum, 36; wind, calm; rain, .06; weather, raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, 54; minimum, 54; wind, 12 miles W.; weather, clear.

Port Simpson—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, 48; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .20; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, 48; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles, E.; weather, cloudy.

—A special prize, consisting of a silver flower basket, is being offered by J. A. Virtue, of the Oak Bay hotel, for competition at the forthcoming rose show, to be held on Tuesday next. The prize is for the largest and best collection shown, and this must be a separate exhibit, entered in competition for this special prize. In judging for it quality as well as quantity will be considered.

—Henry Young & Company yesterday took out a building permit for the erection of a two-story brick addition to the rear of the store now occupied by T. N. Hibben & Company. The improvements will cost $6,000, and will be part of Henry Young & Company's new building when they occupy the store now used by Hibben & Company.

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—Sets of bulletins, reports and maps have been sent to the leading hotels throughout the province by the provincial bureau of information, for the convenience of the travelling public who desire knowledge regarding the resources and industries of B. C.

—James McDonald, a teamster for Robertson & Co., while trying to quiet a team which he was driving, was kicked by one of the horses and sustained a compound fracture of the left leg. He was removed to St. Joseph's hospital, where he is reported to be doing as well as could be expected.

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LOAF SUGAR, two-pound packet ....20¢
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PURE GOLD QUICK PUDDINGS, two packages for .....25¢
CHRISTIE SODA BISCUITS, per tin 30¢
TRISCUIT, per package .....15¢
MALTA VITA, per package .....10¢
TOASTED CORN FLAKES, 5 pkgs....45¢
CAMP COFFEE, per bottle .....25¢
REINDEER MILK, two tins for .....25¢
ST. CHARLES CREAM, 2 large tins..25¢
SMALL WHITE BEANS, 4 lbs. for..25¢
Nine pounds for .....50¢
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Nine pounds for .....50¢
TAPIOCA OR SAGO, 4 pounds for....25¢
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Four pounds for $1.10
CHUTNEY, genuine Indian, quart bottle for .....50¢
BON AMI, two packets for .....25¢
SAPOLIO, per packet .....10¢
MOLASSES, two-pound tin for.....15¢
CLARK'S POTTED MEATS, 4 tins..25¢
CLARK'S PORK AND BEANS in Tomato Sauce, three tins for .....25¢
VEAL OR HAM LOAF, per tin.....15¢
AUSTRALIAN RABBIT, 2-pound tin..30¢
BROWN SHOE POLISH, per bottle..10¢

FRESH GINGER SNAPS, 3 lbs. for..25¢
HUNTLEY & PALMER'S MIXED BISCUITS, per pound .....25¢
PERSIAN SHERBET, 1-lb. bottle....25¢
DR. PRICE'S OR ROYAL BAKING POWder, 12-ounce can for .....40¢
Two and one-half pound can for..$1.15
MAGIC BAKING POWDER, 12-oz. can 20¢
Five-pound can for .....90¢
SHELLED ALMONDS OR WALNUTS, per pound .....40¢
FRESH ROASTED PEANUTS, lb....15¢
ESSENCES, all flavors, per bottle, 50c, 35c and .....20¢
MAPELINE, per bottle .....50¢
PRIDE OF CANADA MAPLE SYRUP, quart bottle for .....50¢
TARTAN CORN SYRUP, ten-pound tin for .....65¢
LYLE'S SYRUP, 2-pound tin for ....20¢
Four-pound tin for .....35¢
Fourteen-pound tin for.....$1.00
CORN SYRUP, 2-pound tin .....15¢

MILD CURED HAMS, per pound ....18¢
SMALL PICNIC HAMS, per pound...15¢
C. & Y. INDEPENDENT CREAMERY BUTTER, three pounds for $1.00
ALBERTA CREAMERY BUTTER, per pound .....30¢
DAIRY BUTTER, per pound.....25¢
NICE ONTARIO CHEESE, per lb ....20¢
McLAREN'S IMPERIAL CHEESE, per jar, 50c and .....25¢
PEANUT BUTTER, per jar, 40c, 25c and .....15¢
ROYAL SALAD DRESSING, per bottle, 35c and .....20¢
SCOTCH CORN STARCH, 3 pkts.....25¢
RICE FLOUR OR GROUND RICE, 4-lb. sack for .....25¢
ROLLED OATS, 7-lb. paper bag.....35¢
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WHEAT FLAKES, 4-lb. paper bag....25¢
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PURE BLACK PEPPER, per pound..25¢
PURE WHITE PEPPER, per pound..30¢
FINEST CLEANED CURRANTS, 3 pounds for .....25¢
SEEDED RAISINS, finest put up, large 16-ounce packet for .....10¢
Five packets for .....45¢
ENGLISH MIXED PEEL, per lb .....15¢
NICE TABLE RAISINS, per pound ..10¢
Three pounds for .....25¢
HERRINGS IN TOMATO SAUCE, 2 tins for .....25¢
KIPPERED HERRING, 2 tins for ....25¢
ROWAT'S ENGLISH VINEGAR, quart bottle for .....15¢
PURE NEW ZEALAND HONEY, 2-pound tin for .....45¢
HONEY IN THE COMB, per section..25¢
PINEAPPLES, in 1½-pound cans, two cans for .....25¢
TANGLEFOOT FLY PAPER, box of 25 double sheets for .....50¢
WEST INDIA LIME JUICE, quart bottle for .....20¢
MONSERAT LIME JUICE, per bottle, 65c and .....35¢
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JOHNSTOWN WINS NANAIMO EVENT

MILE AND A HALF RACE IS SPLENDID FEATURE

Surprise Packet is Handed Out in R. Linton's Ripper.

The downfall of the crack horses Barney Oldfield, Captain Burnett and Ed Ball in the Nanaimo handicap, the class event of yesterday's race card at the Willows, the winning of the handicap by Johnstown, the pick up by Ripper in the next race, which was backed down from 15 to 1 to 2 to 1, and the feature event of the day, the mile and a half race won by Goldway, were incidents that made the day one of the best in the history of the meeting.

Ripper's race was run three seconds slower than record time, and the horse was all of four lengths behind the leaders, with three furlongs to go and the last turn to make. Ripper developed that burst of speed in the finish that made him a good horse here last year, and repaid the faith of the multitude of backers that got on to the good thing before the betting closed. Starting at 15 to 1, Ripper took little money, till suddenly a rush set in to get cash up on the horse. The deluge caused a drop in the price, but so certain was the information that backers kept handing it up till the horse was down to 2 to 1 and still going, but for the call to the post. The rush by those who were in the know caused many who knew nothing to bet the horse straight to win, and a big clean-up was made. The winner was many lengths ahead at the wire, and the positions were filled by Mike Asheim and the 8 to 5 favorite Escalante. The time for the six and a half furlongs was 1.25 3-5. Both the place horses looked to be fighting the finish till Ripper commenced to gallop back of the stand, and came up as if the others were waiting for him.

The Nanaimo handicap brought out the class of the horses stabled at the Willows, with seven starters, in whom the merry tipsters and guessers saw everything a winner and place and show, but the horses that finally ran into the positions, Barney Oldfield, Ed Ball and Capt. Burnett, shared the public fancy as winners of the race, and on form any horse of the three was good enough to beat the other. The Wallhauser entry, E. T. Fryer, however, owing to his bad running round the turns, was not particularly fancied, and while the winner, Johnstown, carried some money, the second Fantastic, and third Monvina, also winner of the opening handicap, did not run much to the public taste. The result surprised many, especially as Johnstown has done nothing since his seven furlongs win the first day of the meeting.

The last race of the day was a horse race, and one of the prettiest of the meeting, in fact, there has not been a more satisfactory or a harder race run at the Willows. The mile and a half distance brought out five starters, but the finish was left to two, Goldway and Joe Coyne, both horses of top class, to fight out neck and neck and stride by stride. Goldway, Joe Coyne and Iras went away at the barrier, and Iras made the running for the first half, where Little Minister, running second, had dropped to keep company with a somewhat favored one in the betting, Flavingy. Joe Coyne and Goldway went to the front the second time round, and Joe Coyne made for the lead when approaching the stand at the end of the mile. He had a length the best of it, and increased it a length in making the turn where Iras fell back five lengths, and the last two were coming along on the next train. At the back Goldway went after Joe Coyne, galloping splendidly and putting her big withers and haunches into action, bounded over the ground in magnificent style. She caught the leader rounding the turn and the race home was the best sight for the onlookers of the meeting. The pair raced neck and neck for the finish, Goldway just forged ahead under the barrier and winning by a neck. It was either horse's race till the final inch. Iras several lengths behind, beat Little Minister and Flavigny for the show money. The time was 2.39 1-5.

In the first five furlong race Bemay the favorite collapsed before the running of Evelyn K. and Maud McG. The latter, which had ground to make up, made her final run in the last furlong and jumped into second place behind the winner, Evelyn K., with May Pink third. The Shilling entry classed at 9 to 10, was defeated in the second race, but of the two, Virgie Cassie got the show position. Lewiston, a 5 to 1 bet, secured first money, and Napa Nick was third.

The scratching of Roy Junior in the third race left the dopesters work to be done over again, and Irish Mail was made a favorite, odds on. Merchant romped home, however, and the overlooked Silver Sue, 15 to 1, to win slipped easily into second place with Liddington the third money horse.

The Nanaimo handicap was one of Joe Weber's best starts. He got the horses away first try and all together in a line. The worst trouble he had to contend with through the day was in the second race, where several minutes were occupied in getting the horses in line. Metropolitan twice got off, taking the ribbon in his mouth each time. The other starts were all made in good style.

The horses in yesterday's race finished in the order given below:

First race—Five furlongs. Selling. Fillies and mares. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first $150.

Horse and Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
Evelyn K., Vosper	4	4
Maud McG., W. Powers	4	4
May Pink, McLaughlin	3	5
Taunt, W. McIntyre	12	15
Calla, Alarie	4	6
Bemay, Keogh	2	5-2
Josie S., W. Kelly	8	10

Time—1:03 4-5.

Second race—Five furlongs. Purse. Two-year-olds. Value to first $150.

Horse and Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
Lewiston, Brooks	6	4
Napa Nick, Leeds	3	3
Virg. Cassie, W. McIntyre	4-5	9-10
Fire, Keogh	5	5
Metropolitan, Lycurgus	7	6
Ches. Krum, W. Kelly	*	*
Mr. Hose, Callahan	50	100

Time—1:04 3-5.

Third race—Six furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first $150.

Horse and Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
Mechant, Leeds	5-2	13-5
Silver Sue, McLaughlin	15	15
Liddington, Brooks	6	11-2
Irish Mail, McEwen	1	6-5
George Kilborn, Coles	15	25
Dandy Fine, Vosper	2	2
Yankeet, W. Powers	50	100
Song of Sea, Stock	50	100

Time—1:19.

Fourth race—One mile and seventy yards. The Nanaimo handicap. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first $225.

Horse and Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
Johnstown, McEwen	7	6
Fantastic, Vosper	6	8
Monvina, Brooks	4	6
Ed. Ball, Keogh	3	5
Barney Oldfield, W. Kelly	3	2
Capt. Burnett, Lycurgus	5-2	3
Ed. T. Fryer, W. McIntyre	8	10

Time—1:48 3-5.

Fifth race—Six and a half furlongs. Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first $150.

Horse and Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
Ripper, D. Riley	10	5
M. Asheim, W. Kelly	3	2
Escalante, Keogh	3-2	7-5
Col. Bronston, W. Powers	4	4
Ray Bennett, Shale	6	5
Rama, Brooks	5	8
Lady's Beauty, McLaughlin	15	20

Time—1:25 3-5.

Sixth race—One and a half miles. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first $150.

Horse and Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
Goldway, Lycurgus	4-5	1
Joe Coyne, Brooks	3-2	7-5
Iras, C. Wright	3	2
Little Minister, McEwen	10	15
Flavigny, Vosper	15	8

Time—2:39 1-5.

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THE RING.

BRITT AND YOUNG CORBETT.

San Francisco, Cal., June 24.—Jim Coffroth received a cablegram yesterday from Jimmy Britt, who is in London, announcing his willingness to fight Young Corbett before the Sunshine Club. Some time ago Coffroth wrote to Britt asking him if he would consider a match with the Denverite, and the cablegram is Jimmy's reply. If Corbett makes good in his match with Jonma Frayne on July 17th, he will be pitted against his ancient foe.

A tramp named Mullett, who was charged at Loughborough, Eng., with refusing to perform his task at the workhouse, said he was tired, having been kept awake by a whistling noise in his cell, adding amid laughter, "It whistled like the very devil." The "it" was only a cricket.

DO YOU KNOW THE BASEBALL GAME?

Enthusiastic Fan Strives Hard to Enlighten a Novice.

Two men sat within hearing of the scorers. One, apparently an Englishman, was seeing his first game. His companion, a fan well versed in the fine points of the game, was teaching the young English idea, in a baseball way, how to shoot.

"The little St. Louis fellow, throwing with his left hand," said the Englishman, "appears to be an excellent bowler, or pitcher. His motions are most receptive."

"Why, that's Johnny Lush. He ain't much of a pitcher," observed the fan, a little surprised. "The big fellow you see pitching for New York is the greatest pitcher in the world."

"In what way, may I ask?"

"Well, er—why—sure he is. He knows how to fool the batters better. He has some wonderful curves. You see—well, er—he's just the best one in the business, that's all."

"But he is winning, is he?" asked the student.

"No; well, you see — why, it's not his fault, though. The batters ain't hitting behind him, that's it."

"Oh! Why, I thought you just told me that the Giants, as you call them, had got more hits than St. Louis."

"That's right, too; but you see they are not hitting them when they count. The time to hit is when men are on bases. See?"

"Ah! But as I gather it, they have to hit to get on the bases?"

"Well, I guess that's right. They must hit both when they are on and when they ain't. But you see, the pitcher had nothing to do with that. All he has to do is to pitch good ball."

"Pardon me, but if they don't hit, is the other pitcher keeping them from it?"

"Sure. That's just what I am trying to explain."

"But, my dear friend; you have just said that the pitcher had nothing to do with the hitting part of it."

"I meant that our pitcher—Mathewson—had nothing to do with our men not hitting behind him."

"Then logically, the pitcher for the other side is having something to do with it, but they are getting more hits just the same. Am I right?"

"Yes, that is partly right; but you see, the luck is breaking against us now."

"Well, here is what is puzzling me: If a poor pitcher pitches badly, and luck makes him win, and, at the same time, if the best pitcher in the world is pitching nicely, but luck is against him, what is the advantage of being a good pitcher?"

"But, bu— well, er—but—you see—why the pitcher ain't supposed to win the games for his team, anyway. That's the batter's business."

"But I thought you just said he was."

"Oh, well" (this with a little vexation), "you must understand that you don't know anything about the inside of the game yet."

"That is exactly what I am trying to learn."

"Well, it is this way: "The pitcher goes in there to keep the other batters from hitting the ball, and it is the batters of his own team that must bat in the runs that win for him."

"Oh, I see. Then the pitchers have nothing to do with the batting. They are just like the man at a faro bank who deals out the cards and lets the other fellow win or lose."

The fan put his hand to his head and looked appealingly to some of the baseball writers, who had grown interested in the unique conversation. Just at that minute St. Louis had runners on third and second.

"Now, here is a chance to understand," said the fan. "You see, if Mathewson can keep the batter from hitting safe those runs will not score. A hit will bring them in. Now see what he does."

The batter drove a sharp bounder toward second, and Larry Doyle ran in to get it quickly, so as to throw the runner out at the plate. Instead of getting it he overran the ball, and it bounced away in safety, allowing both runners to score. A moan went up from the crowd. The Englishman was looking on in deep thought.

"He did hit safely then," didn't he?" he finally observed.

"No, not at all," replied the fan. "Doyle should have got that ball. It wasn't Mathewson's fault. It was an error."

"Ah, I see. Then it rests entirely wit the fielders whether or not the pitcher keeps the opponent from hitting."

"In that case, yes."

Now, then," said the Englishman, narrowing the question down to a logical conclusion, "if the pitcher has nothing to do with his own team hitting the ball when they are batting, and when he is pitching if he has to depend entirely upon the fielders of his own team to keep the opponents from hitting safely, why, he is not to blame in either event. The game, therefore, does not depend upon him at all, does it?"

Moral—Never bring a newcomer to a ball game.—New York World.

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THE TURF.

RACES IN MEXICO.

San Diego, Cal., June 24.—Contrary to the report that President Dias of Mexico has set himself against racing at Tia Juana, near the American boundary line, directors of the track association handling the matter announced that they had awarded a contract for the construction of the track, grandstand and stables to Earl Towe, of Los Angeles, on a bid of $169,000. Towe left here yesterday for Tia Juana with President D. R. Worden and other directors. He said that he would begin work next week.

ANNUAL SPORTS OF FIFTH REGIMENT

Events to Be Competed for at Macaulay Point Camp.

The annual sports in connection with the Fifth regiment camp, now being held at Macaulay Point, will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at the Macaulay plains. A good programme of sports has been prepared, and all will be keenly contested. All events are for the regiment except those marked for the army and navy forces.

The officers have laid a number of restrictions. One is the barring of spike shoes and that no second prizes will be given unless there are more than four entries.

The officials for the day will be as follows: Starter, Sergt.-Major McDougall; clerk of course, A. J. Brace; judges, Lieut.-Col. Hall, Capt. Winsby, Lieut. Stein and Lieut. Veitch.

The following is the programme which will be run off:

100 yards.
High jump, open to army and navy forces.
Three-legged race.
220 yards race.
16-lb. shot put, open to army and navy forces.
Trumpeters' race, 100 yards.
Broad jump, open to army and navy forces.
Potato race.
440 yards, open to army and navy farces.
16-lb. hammer throw, open to army and navy.
Bandsmen's race, 100 yards.
Wheelbarrow race, 50 yards.
One mile race, open to army and navy.
Officers race, 100 yards' handicap.
Ladies' egg and spoon race.
Tug-of-war, ten men to a side.
Victoria Cross race, 50 yards.
Relay race, each man to run 220 yards.
Tug of war final.
Tent pitching contest.

(Additional Sport on page 7.)

In a lecture before the Royal Society of Arts, London, John Ferguson, C. M. G., proprietor of the Ceylon Observer, estimated that the tea harvest of Ceylon would reach 36,000,000 tons in 1914.

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CITY TOO MUCH OF COW PASTURE

STRAY ANIMALS DO HARM TO BOULEVARDS

Parks Board Urges Council to Take More Rigorous Steps.

"No other city of this size on the North American continent would stand for being made a cow pasture in the way Victoria is."

So said H. M. Fullerton at the meeting of the parks board yesterday afternoon. Living on a street where he has seen the damage done to the boulevards by cows, having heard the threats of some enemies of progress that they would stop the further extension of boulevarding, and fresh from a tour of the city in which he saw at once the value of this work and the danger it is in constantly from straying bovines and equines, Mr. Fullerton had come to his first meeting with an earnest intention to accomplish something towards making the city less of what he described as a cow pasture. In fact, in his zeal—which communicated itself even to so experienced a council member as Ald. Henderson—the discussion went on for some little time on matters which are purely within the city council's jurisdiction as if the parks board was going to effect the reforms itself.

Mr. Fullerton, following on a suggestion dealing with this subject in Superintendent England's report, suggested the passage of a by-law prohibiting the tethering of cows in vacant lots about the city, or their being driven through the streets in such a manner as to cause damage, and providing a heavy fine for owners of animals of any sort which injured the boulevards. He was also in favor of paying a fee of $1 to persons who found animals loose and took them to the pound.

It was pointed out that the city could not interfere with the grazing of cattle on private property, tethered according to the existing by-law, if in an open lot. A recent by-law imposes stringent penalties in regard to driving cattle, and these have been invoked in case of some Oaklands dairymen.

Mr. Fullerton declared that on the prairies and in Ontario the tethering of cattle in open lots would not be permitted.

Eventually the board, on Mr. Fullerton's motion, decided to recommend to council the passage of a by-law which will give a greater measure of protection to the parks and boulevards from the ravages of animals.

Rev. Alfred E. Alston, of Framingham Earl rectory, Norwich, a native son who is revisiting his birthplace at present, wrote to ask permission to have his mother's grave in Quadra street cemetery marked. He was unaware of the disgraceful condition the old cemetery had fallen into, or of its transformation, or he would willingly have contributed towards it, he said. Mr. Alston also asked permission to have the headstone, which stands with the others, re-engraved and the name of his father, who died in Sierra Leone, added.

The board granted the latter request, but could not see its way to allowing a marker to be placed on the grave. E. A. Lewis said it would disfigure the square if markers were to be laid all over.

In this connection it was recalled that although at the time a citizens' committee had agreed to give $500 towards the work of renovation, not a cent had been given.

WHISKERS IN LAW SUITS.

Chicago Lawyers Are Said to Have Prejudice Against Bearded Jurors.

The tricks of lawyers in court to win cases was the topic of Willard M. McEwen, judge of the superior court, before the Illinois State Attorneys' Association meeting at Chicago.

"No jury is fair," he said, "because no man is fair. We may all want to be fair, but we are bound up by prejudices we cannot get away from. For this season unscrupulous and even scrupulous attorneys can play on the emotions of jurors and win cases where the law does not warrant it.

"Whiskers play a great part in lawsuits. At present the prejudice in Chicago is against jurors with whiskers. It formerly was the other way. I know a judge who thought he was without prejudice and who thought only men with long whiskers made good jurors. The prejudice now is the other way, and attorneys here generally reject men with long whiskers.

"Attorneys are full of tricks to deceive jurors. One of the chief tricks is that of bringing babies into court."

CAPITAL GUN CLUB IS TO HOLD SHOOT

Opportunity to Get in Line for Vancouver Tournament.

The last chance to get in line for the Vancouver tournament will be offered by the Capital Gun Club on the 27th inst., when they will hold their regular shoot at the Willows grounds. A programme has been arranged for the day, and all shooters will be made welcome.

Shooters from both clubs are requested to be on hand, as the team or teams to represent Victoria at Vancouver are to be selected. All those who are going to Vancouver should avail themselves of this opportunity, as events similar to those of July 1st will be shot.

The Nobel trophy, a 50-bird race for members of both clubs, will be one of the features of the day, and also the Dupont trophy for club members only. Previous to these events several shorter matches will take place. Shells will be provided on the grounds at city prices. The different events will be as follows:

1—Ten birds; entrance, 50c; money divided, 40, 30, 20 and 10 per cent.

2—Fifteen birds; entrance, 50c; money divided, 40, 30, 20 and 10 per cent.

3—Ten birds; entrance, 50c; four equal moneys; high guns.

4—Fifteen birds; entrance, 50c; four equal moneys; high guns.

5—Five birds; entrance, 25c; unknown traps and angles; highest and lowest score to count in money division; ties divided; birds deducted from entrance; high gun, 60 per cent.; low gun, 40 per cent.

6—Ten birds; 50c entrance; reverse pull; use of both barrels; four equal moneys.

7—Entrance 50c; miss and out; high gun; winner of this event pays for blue rocks.

8—Nobel trophy; 50 birds, shot in two strings of 25 birds; open to members of both clubs.

9—Dupont trophy; 25 birds; Capital Gun Club members only to qualify in win.

Time permitting, team shoots will be arranged.

WEIGHTS DECIDED IN EMPRESS HANDICAP

Entries for Big Event on Saturday at Willows Track.

The following are the weights for the Empress handicap, distance six furlongs, to be run Saturday at the Willows track:

May Sutton, 97; El Paso, 102; Galene Gale, 80; Milpitas, 108; F. E. Shaw, 108; Zalta, 90; Fantastic, 104; Phillistina, 97; Listowel, 97; Dainty Belle, 101; Aunt Polly, 102; Fern L., 108; Redondo, 113; Roalta, 114; Columbia Maid, 106; Sir Angus, 96; Dandy Fine, 96; Angelface, 96; Fay Muir, 80; Marwood, 104; Reene W., 99; Albion H., 101; Galinda, 102; Othmar, 96; Bucolic, 105; Merrill, 103; Burleigh, 106; Blue Heron, 100; Entre Nous, 106; Belle of Iroquois, 104; Temaceo, 106; Incentive, 100; Blameless, 100; Aristetle, 100; Elizabeth Harwood, 103; Shirley Rossmare, 105; French Cook, 105; Kildalla, 114; Margaret Randolph, 100; Alleviator, 101; R. H. Flaherty, 96; Bonheur, 95.

SPIRIT TO SAIL AT SEATTLE RACES

Will Be Taken Over Next Week to Try for Key City Trophy.

The Spirit will go to Seattle next week to prepare for the international races to be sailed there during the A.-Y.-P. water sports carnival.

This decision was reached by E. D. Dowler and C. W. McIntosh yesterday. They have decided to leave Victoria, if suitable arrangements can be completed, next Wednesday night, and make the journey to Port Townsend before morning, lay there over night and go down on the tide to Seattle the next day.

They will race the Spirit in all the feature events of the International Pacific Coast summer regatta held in connection with the fair. One of the big trophies for which they will try is the Key City trophy.

The owners of the Spirit II. have offered to find a crew for the local Spirit when the boat races there, if Mr. McIntosh is unable to arrange for the men he wants from here. The crew that raced the Spirit against the Alexandra will probably not be able to get away, but at least two of them will be in the boat for her international contests.

STANDING OF CLUBS IN NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	P.C.
Seattle	48	19	.717
Spokane	34	30	.531
Vancouver	31	34	.477
Aberdeen	29	35	.453
Portland	29	36	.439
Tacoma	25	41	.379

LACROSSE

NORTH WARD V. VICTORIA WEST.

North Ward and Victoria West play lacrosse at the Royal Athletic ground to-night. The teams selected to represent the two clubs are:

North Ward.		Victoria West.
Humber	Goal	H. Brown
Sweeney	Point	Prevost
Dakers	Cover	A. Stewart
Noel	1st D.	P. Brown
Kelly	2nd D.	Perkins
Brindjolfson	3rd D.	Robertson
Hodgson	Centre	Harris
Sylvester	3rd Home	Bailey
Menzies	2nd Home	Corkle
McDonald	1st Home	C. Brown
McGregor	Inside	Stevens
Johnson	Outside	S. Stewart

THE RIFLE.

WASHINGTON SHOOT.

Tacoma, Wash., June 24.—The first day's shoot of the Washington State Sportsmen's Association at the South Tacoma range, resulted in a victory for Lee Barclay, of Seattle, his score being 222 out of a possible 230. Mark Pennington was high man among the amateurs with a score of 215.

In Germany, when the vote of the jury stands six against six, the prisoner is acquitted. A vote of seven against five leaves the decision to the court, and in a vote of eight against four the prisoner is convicted.

RESULTS OF GAMES IN BASEBALL LEAGUES

NORTHWESTERN.

Portland, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Vancouver	4	9	5
Portland	5	3	3

Batteries—Gilligan and Sugden; Seaton and Fournier.

Seattle, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Tacoma	4	5	3
Seattle	5	9	2

Batteries—Baker and Kellackey; Allen and Custer.

Spokane, June 23.—Spokane-Aberdeen game postponed; rain.

COAST.

San Francisco, June 23.—Scores for 19 innings follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	4	10	0
San Francisco	5	14	0

Batteries—Nagle and Orendorff; Browning and Berry.

Los Angeles, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Oakland	13	17	2
Vernon	0	4	5

Batteries—Christian and La Longe; Willets and Hogan.

Sacramento, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Portland	1	6	2
Sacramento	3	10	3

Batteries—Guyn and Fisher; Whalen and Graham.

WESTERN CANADA.

Calgary, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

Calgary	5
Regina	1

Batteries—Parkes and Gouthee; Neidenfear and Gardner.

Moose Jaw, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

Moose Jaw	4
Edmonton	15

Lethbridge, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Winnipeg	1	2	3
Lethbridge	8	12	3

Batteries—Miller, Bond and Anderson; Leizie and Lynch.

Medicine Hat, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

Brandon	0
Medicine Hat	2

Batteries—Welsh and Ward; Stingle and Heinrich.

EASTERN.

Montreal, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Montreal	1	7	3
Baltimore	4	8	0

Rochester, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Buffalo	10	17	2
Rochester	4	11	5

Newark, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Tororto	3	9	1
Newark	4	10	1

NATIONAL.

New York, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

First Game.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	4	7	2
New York	5	7	2

Batteries—Mattern and Graham; Marquard and Meyer, Schlei.

Second Game.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	1	4	2
New York	11	18	3

Batteries—White, Lindaman and Bowerman; Mathewson, Crandall and Schlei, Snodgrass.

Brooklyn, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

First Game.

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	0	3	2
Brooklyn	2	5	0

Batteries—Moore and Jacklitsch; Rucker and Bergen.

Second Game.

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	1	7	2
Brooklyn	5	8	2

Batteries—Covalski and Dooin; Hunter and Bergen.

St. Louis, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	3	7	0
St. Louis	1	4	2

Batteries—Willis and Gibson; Beebe and Bresnahan.

Chicago, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	6	13	3
Chicago	4	9	1

Batteries—Gasper, Fromme and Roth; Overall, Kroh, Hagerman, Brown and Moran.

AMERICAN.

Philadelphia, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Washington	0	5	0
Philadelphia	3	9	3

Batteries—Smith and Street; Krause and Thomas.

Boston, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

	R.	H.	E.
New York	5	12	7
Boston	14	17	5

Batteries—Doyle and Blair; Steele and Spencer.

Detroit, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	1	5	1
Detroit	8	15	0

Batteries—Criss, Bailey and Criger; Suggs and Schmidt.

Cleveland, June 23.—Scores were as follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	4	8	3
Cleveland	3	8	3

Batteries—Fiene and Sullivan; Berger and Bemis.

THE OAR.

J.B.A.A. RACES.

Eliminating races will be held Saturday by the J.B.A.A. over the club courses on the inner harbor with the object of selecting the best men to represent the club at the international regattas at Seattle this summer. Eleven J.B.A.A. crews are taking part in Saturday's contests.

The club has also introduced a number of canoe races for Saturday for members of the J.B.A.A. canoe club. The course will be from Coffin island to the boat house, and the events start at 2.30 p.m.

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Tenders will be received by the Board of School Trustees for the painting of the North Ward and Central Schools up to the 24th inst. Specifications to be seen at the School Board Office.

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DEVELOPMENT OF MEXICAN TRADE

CAPTAIN WORSNOP TELLS OF PROSPECTS

Subsidy Proposal of Mexican Government Refused by Canadian Line.

Captain Warsnop, who is in the city in connection with the business of his two Mexican liners explains the reason for his losing the Mexican subsidy. He says that the Mexican government was not willing to pay any subsidy for the next two years. The proposition they made to him was to run two years without subsidy and at the end of that time to pay at the rate of $60,000 a year, Mexican, which would amount to about $28,000 in Canadian currency according to the present rate of exchange. At that time the Mexican government would pay up for the two previous years. This offer he, on behalf of his company, refused. The Jebsen line were willing to accept it so they secured the Mexican subsidy instead of the Canadian-Mexican line.

"The German line contracts to run between Mexico and Central American points and also to call at all American ports coming as far north as Victoria.

"The Dominion government," continued Captain Warsnop, "recognizes the service our line has done in the development of Canadian trade with Mexico. We were the pioneers of the business. We have lost a good deal of money during the first two years, but if we get the support of the merchants of British Columbia it is our intention to build up a good business between British Columbia and Mexico and also between Eastern Canada and this province. We can carry freight 20 per cent lower than the rates on carload lots, and 30 per cent lower than lots less than a carload. This should be a great advantage to the merchants on this coast. We are giving an accelerated service and we shall endeavor to keep our schedule.

"Our line goes direct to Mexico," continued the captain. "Our products are practically the same as those supplied by the United States so that it is not advisable that our steamers should call at American ports en route. By doing so they would invite the competition which it is the intention of the subsidy to overcome.

"The Lonsdale will be kept on the run for the present. If the business warrants a third steamer will be placed on the run, but at present the amount of business offering does not warrant a third steamer.

"When the party which has recently chartered the steamer Transit wanted a steamer they applied to our London office for the Georgia. We were unable to let them have her so we arranged the charter of the other vessel with the Mackenzies."

Concluding, Captain Warsnop said that he was going to Alberta in the near future to look into the prospects for grain export to Mexico this year. He thought there should be at least 20,000 tons of wheat sent this year. If the prospects warranted it another steamer would be put on in order to handle it. "Ours is a Canadian line," said he, "and it is here to stay. The business is growing and we expect to develop it until it becomes an important factor in the trade of the Pacific coast and an invaluable asset to the province of British Columbia."

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KAGA MARU REACHES PORT

TEA AND SILK CARGO BOUND TO SEATTLE

Political Movements in China and Japan—Russian Baron Touring the World.

A rather mixed crowd came over from the Orient, arriving here last night, on the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Kaga Maru. There was a Russian baron and his companion, who spoke English very imperfectly; a large number of Japanese, a few British, a few Americans, one Turk, and five Chinese. For Victoria there were three first-class, five second, and sixty-one third-class, mostly Japanese returning from a visit, and more than half of them naturalized British subjects.

Prominent among the passengers, and the one that attracted most attention, was Viscount Osten-Saken, the Russian baron, who is walking around the world. This gentleman was very picturesquely garbed in a light suit, which looked much like the clothes used in the hot parts of India. He bore letters and passports innumerable, which he presented to the immigration officials and others interested. He took a walk up town to take a look at Victoria before proceeding to Seattle to attend the fair. While in Yokohama the viscount was entertained by some of the Christian societies.

Another interesting passenger was Hon. A. Brown, a member of the New South Wales legislative council, who is on his way to England, and will travel through the United States. He came by way of the Orient for the purpose of seeing the country and making the journey educative. Speaking of the workings of the new Australian Commonwealth, Hon. Mr. Brown expressed himself as not at all satisfied with the working out of the constitution. Too much power, he thought, was given to the smaller states, and the class of representatives returned was not always satisfactory. He hoped, however, that in the end it would work out well. He was much interested in learning about Canada, and especially about Victoria, which he imagined to be frozen up throughout the winter. He could hardly believe that it was otherwise.

The Kaga Maru brought word of a reactionary movement in China among a certain section who claim that the country will not be ready for parliamentary government for many years. Preparations are said to be under way to have a parliament called eight years from now; but there is much opposition to this, and the elections going on for the district councils in the province of Chili are pointed at as examples of what constitutional government might mean. These elections are said to be farcical in the extreme. At Pekin and some of the coast cities the advance movement is growing in strength, but in the interior, where the mass of the people live, there is nothing but indifference shown.

A few days before the Kaga Maru sailed from Yokohama the journalists of Tokio were called together by Baron Hirata, the minister for home affairs, and given a lecture on their duties to the public. The baron said he recognized the power and usefulness of the press, but drew attention to some of the abuses. The director of the police bureau then read a statement of the wishes of the Japanese government in this regard. This statement expressed a wish that reports calculated to injure the public morality should be suppressed; that enterprises having the nature of lotteries should be stopped; that in organizing prize competitions care should be taken not to injure the public interests; and that care should be taken in publishing news which might affect the economic world, military and diplomatic relations, or the preliminary hearings of criminal cases.

The Kaga Maru left for Seattle early this morning after discharging 350 tons of general cargo. She has 842 bales of silk and a very large quantity of new crop tea, which will be discharged well within the time limit to escape the new tariff.

SHIPPING REPORT

Estevan, June 24, 8 a. m.—Drizzling; westerly wind; bar., 30.17; temp., 53; light swell.

Pachena, June 24, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; westerly wind; bar., 30.08; temp., 56; light swell.

Cape Lazo, June 24, noon.—Cloudy; calm; bar., 30.08; temp., 66; light swell.

Point Grey, June 24, noon.—Overcast; westerly wind; bar., 30.02; temp., 64. Out, Empress of India, 11:30 a. m.

Estevan, June 24, noon.—Cloudy; calm; bar., 30.18; temp., 57; light swell.

Pachena, June 24, noon.—Cloudy; southwest wind; bar., 30.10; temp., 60; light swell.

UNCONSCIOUS FOR WEEKS.

Nurse Injured in Street Car Accident Now Recognizes People Around Her.

Portland, Ore., June 24.—For the first time since Decoration Day, May 30th, when she lost consciousness through being thrown from a street car, Miss Ada Blue, a young nurse, opened her eyes late last night and recognized those standing around her bed in the Portland sanatorium.

Now that the girl has regained consciousness, hopes for her ultimate recovery are entertained. Portland physicians cannot recall any local case in the past that was more baffling than the one in which Miss Blue has figured. The attending physicians think that a blood clot on the brain is responsible for her condition. The street car from which she was thrown was rounding a corner when her clothes were caught by the steps and she was dragged 80 feet.

PRINCESS CHARLOTTE LOWERS RECORD

One Minute More Clipped From Victoria to Seattle Time.

The Princess Charlotte is now the leader of the two three-funnel steamers on the triangular run. On Tuesday the Princess Victoria made the run from Four-Mile rock to Brotchie ledge in 3 hours 4 minutes. Captain Troup then decided to see if the newer boat could not do even better. Yesterday preparations were made and the superintendent went himself to enjoy the exhilaration of the speed. The result was entirely satisfactory to the captain and crew of the bigger vessel, for one minute more was clipped from the record the time made being 3 hours 3 minutes from Brotchie ledge to Four-Mile rock.

It is estimated that the steamer must have made 26 miles an hour on the trip. There was great excitement aboard, and a number of bets were placed on the issue.

MEN HAVE LEFT FOR WEST COAST TRAIL

Steamer Quadra Took 30 Laborers and 15 Will Join Them at Alberni.

To-day the steamer Quadra left for the west coast of Vancouver Island, taking thirty men to work on the west coast trail. These are from Esquimalt, Nanaimo, Wellington and Saanich. When the vessel gets up the coast she will pick up 9 men from Clayoquot and 6 from Alberni, making a total of 45. The party will be in charge of A. Barnes, who has taken the place of Foreman Macdonald, who is in charge of the work at Triangle Island. Two camps will be established, a double camp at Banfield creek and a single camp at Peachena bay.

The first work to be done will be to gravel the part of the trail which was constructed first between Pachena and Banfield creek. This being completed the men will be moved to the new work, and as much of that as possible will be constructed this year.

There has been some delay in getting the work on the trail started this year, but now that it is commenced it will be pushed ahead with vigor.

JOHN L. CARD HAS BEEN CHARTERED

Steamer Will Carry Explosives and Do General Freighting for Boscowitz Company.

Steamer John L. Card has been chartered by the Boscowitz Steamship Company for the purpose of carrying explosives to the camps and for general freighting work. The steamer is at present being overhauled by the Victoria Machinery Depot, and will be taken over by the charterers about July 1st.

It has been the custom for the Boscowitz company to carry explosives on the deck of their steamers, but this has been made impossible owing to a regulation of the Dominion government. As the company wish to still continue handling the freight it became necessary to run a boat which would not carry passengers. The John L. Card will just fill the bill, as she is not expensive to operate, but will be able to enter any of the waters on which the camps are located.

Besides handling the explosives, the Card will do general freighting work. She is being chartered from the Federated Canning Company, who have had her laid up for some time.

EXCURSION TO RUPERT.

St. Denis to Make Special Trip From Essington to New Terminal City.

Steamer St. Denis leaves to-night for northern British Columbia ports. She will carry a full complement of passengers, and when she arrives at Port Essingtotn she will run a special excursion across to Prince Rupert and return. The people of Prince Rupert are making preparations to celebrate Dominion Day in a manner befitting the coming city of the Northwest Pacific coast, and the people from all the neighboring settlements will join with her in doing so.

MARINE NOTES

Tug Stetson left this morning for San Juan with a cargo of supplies for the Grahame Lumber Company, which is operating at that place. Among the stuff taken was a donkey engine and a number of knock-down houses, as well as material for camp construction and supplies.

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Steamer Lonsdale, of the Canadian-Mexican line, left this morning for New Westminster. After discharging her cargo the steamer will move to Esquimalt, where she will go into dry-dock for her annual overhaul before again leaving for Salina Cruz.

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Steamer Ella will arrive here to-morrow afternoon at 3, outward bound for Corinto and way ports. Three passengers are booked from this port.

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Steamer City of Puebla is expected to arrive from San Francisco to-night with 76 tons of freight for this port and a number of passengers.

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EXCURSIONISTS COME TO ATTEND RACES

Arrangements Being Made by Transportation Companies for Special Rates.

This is the season of excursions and cheap steamboat rates. To-day the steamer Chippewa brought 700 passengers from Bellingham and Anacortes to attend the races on Ladies' day. These were carried at a special one dollar rate for the return trip.

On Saturday a similar rate will be in force on the C. P. R. and International Steamship Company's boats from Seattle, with the exception that tickets bought on Friday or Saturday will be good to return as late as Monday.

The regular week-end excursion is being run on the steamers to Vancouver, and it is understood that special arrangements will be made both on the steamboats and railway for carrying big crowds on Dominion day.

The International Steamship Company announces that on July 3rd a special excursion will be run to Port Angeles, the round trip rate being 50 cents. The Whatcom will be operated for the occasion and she will make two trips each way, leaving here at 11 a. m. and 5 p. m. and, returning, leaving Port Angeles at 3 and 7 p. m.

TIDE TABLE.

Victoria, B. C., June, 1909.

Date.	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht
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The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS

From the Orient.

Vessel.	Due.
Suveric	July 1
Empress of Japan	July 4
Tosa Maru	July 8
From Australia.	
Aorangi	July 1
From Mexico.	
Erna	July 10
Georgia	July 23
From Liverpool.	
Teucer	July 12
TO SAIL.	
For the Orient.	
Empress of Japan	July 14
For Australia.	
Aorangi	July 16
For Mexico.	
Georgia	June 24
Ella	June 25
For Liverpool.	
Antilochus	July 14

COASTWISE STEAMERS

TO ARRIVE.

From San Francisco.

Vessel.	Due.
City of Puebla	June 28
From Skagway.	
Princess May	June 28
Princess Royal	July 5
From Northern B. C. Ports.	
Amur	June 27
Queen City	June 28
From West Coast.	
Tees	June 28
TO SAIL	
For San Francisco.	
City of Puebla	June 30
For Skagway.	
Princess Royal	June 25
Princess May	July 2
For Northern B. C. Ports.	
St. Denis	June 24
Amur	July 1
For West Coast.	
Tees	July 1

SAILING VESSELS.

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Charmer leaves here at 12.30 a. m. daily; arrives at Vancouver at 7.30 a. m.; leaves Vancouver at 1 p. m. daily; arrives here at 7 p. m.

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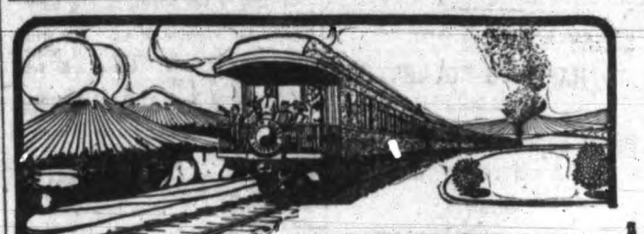

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EMPRESS OF BRITAIN....Fri., Aug. 13
Lake Champlain ..... Saturday, Aug. 21
EMPRESS OF IRELAND....Fri., Aug. 27
Lake Erie ..... Saturday, Sept. 4
EMPRESS OF BRITAIN....Fri., Sept. 10
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Mr. L. Bently and Miss Bently, of Toronto, are in town.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Stewart, of Vancouver, are holidaying here.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Siegfried, of San Francisco, are holidaying here.

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G. A. Clark, of Stanford university, Cal., is spending some time in town.

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Mrs. Joseph Johns, of Carey road, has returned from the A. Y. P. fair in Seattle.

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Mrs. Sherritt, 1126 McClure street, will not receive to-morrow nor again until September.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kavanagh and children of New York, are listed among yesterday's arrivals.

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Mrs. H. A. Treymane, of Winnipeg, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McKenzie, Oak Bay.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Charles Dietrick, whose marriage took place here yesterday, are at Hotel Sorrento, Seattle.

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Among the latest newcomers from the prairie provinces are Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bettinger and son, of Winnipeg.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Risley Heains, of London, Eng., who are touring the coast cities, are guests at the Empress.

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Judge and Mrs. Spinks, of Vernon, have taken up their residence on Montreal street, and will remain in Victoria permanently.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Meeson, of London, Eng., who are touring Canada, arrived at the Empress yesterday, and will remain some time.

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Miss L. Hofsteller and Miss Stella Hofsteller, of Mitchell, South Dakota, are visiting here in company with Miss Nettie Hofsteller of Montana.

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Mrs. C. E. McMurphy, of Memphis, Tenn., is spending some time in town. She is accompanied by her son, Mr. W. McMurphy of Little Falls, Wash.

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Mrs. Ogilvie, wife of Major Ogilvie, has arrived here with her three children, and will spend the summer at Sisinghurst. Mrs. Ogilvie is a sister of Mrs. Crow-Baker.

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A party from St. Mary's, Pa., includes Mr. and Mrs. Fiedderman, Miss Theresa Fiedderman and Louise Fiedderman. They are charmed with Victoria, and will remain some time.

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A party of Victorians who will sail from Montreal by the Empress of Ireland includes Mr. and Mrs. W. Houston Miss Davie and Mr. Wm. Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Houston will visit the former's old home in Scotland, and Mrs. Worth will make an extended stay in England.

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Mrs. Munsie, Johnson street, held a very charming reception yesterday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Mrs. E. F. Lang, whose marriage took place recently. The reception and dining rooms were gay with masses of fragrant sweet peas and trails of smilax. Music was furnished during the afternoon by a Victor Vietrola. Mrs. Lang received with her mother, and was the recipent of the good wishes from many friends.

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After the early morning service at St. Barnabas' church yesterday, the ladies of the congregation entertained the clergy and a number of ladies at breakfast in the schoolroom. The tables were tastefully decorated with roses, pinks and trailing vines, and the rather unusual form of entertainment was much enjoyed. The hostesses were: Mrs. Phipps, Mrs. A. M. Bannerman, Mrs. Simons, Mrs. Dickson, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Kingston, Mrs. Dauphin and Mrs. Garnam. They were assisted by a number of young ladies, among whom were the Misses Dalby, Nash, Mony, Milne and Bailey.

NEW GRAND THEATRE.

Capacity Houses Are in Attendance This Week—Good Programme Offered.

The Grand theatre show this week has drawn capacity houses every night and the management is to be congratulated.

The racing sketch, "The Unexpected," is brimful of amusement in the hands of Wyatt and Miss Rice, who perform the exchanges of the bracelet that controls the winning horse in a most natural and excitable manner. The story is an interesting one and the bracelet is wanted by many of the racegoers who have seen the show.

Sados, the juggler, embellishes a fine turn with a final act showing King Edward's portrait surrounded by many colored electric lights. It receives a splendid reception, and is a good conclusion to a well constructed act.

Mabel Carew's songs are taking well and each one of them gets great applause. Jack Van Epps sings two songs and gives one piano solo. The turn ends with Miss Carew's description of the Derby race, which is loudly applauded.

Carita Day still continues to be the big applause drawer with the two dancing boys. The evolutions performed by the trio of expert hard shoe dancers are wonderful and the congratulations of the audience are well deserved. Knotts, the black-face man, and Thomas J. Price with an illustrated song, and the motion pictures, conclude a good bill.

Miss Ethel Barrymore will be seen at the Victoria theatre on Friday, July 2nd, in "Lady Frederick," the greatly discussed three-act comedy by W. Somerset Maugham. Since she became a Charles Frohman star Miss Barrymore has never been seen to such excellent advantage as in the new comedy. As the Icish widow, Lady Frederick, she has scored a veritable triumph.

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STRONG COMEDY-DRAMA AT VICTORIA THEATRE

"The Servant in the House" Will Be Presented To-night.

Opening with a scene that catches the attention of an audience by a suggestion of Oriental occultism, "The Servant in the House," throughout five acts, maintains an atmosphere of mysticism. At the very beginning of the play the author, Charles Rann Kennedy, introduces a mysterious Hindu, clothed in the flowing garments of the Far East, who calmly informs the members of the family in which he has secured a position as a servant, that he can see without looking, and read the thoughts of those about him as readily as they comprehend his spoken words. This calm, dignified Indian "servant" moves through the play, quietly and unostentatiously, but from beginning to end he compels the attention of the audience. He it is who gives the play its name—"The Servant in the House." Mr. Kennedy's powerful comedy-drama will be presented at the Victoria theatre to-night, by Henry Miller's All Star Associate Players. The cast presents seven famous actors, including Charles Dalton, George W. Wilson, Wilfred Roger, Lizzie Hudson Collier, Milton Sills, Gwladys Wynn and Ben Field.

"No other dramatist on the horizon of the American theatre," says the Chicago Inter-Ocean, "compels such vital interest in his future work as Charles Rann Kennedy. There is none of whom greater things may be expected. One needs only to consider 'The Servant in the House' to be convinced on that point. The man's genius is the most brilliant that has swam into the ken of American audiences during these lonesome latter years, and his artistic status, measured as yet by a single play, dwarfs that of other writers whose names are figuring in the daily chronicling of theatrical affairs. His orbit is outside the nebulous swarm of professional playrights, who, with the possible exception of Augustus Thomas may be counted upon to do the expected thing.

GEORGE W. WILSON,

In "The Servant in the House," at Victoria Theatre To-night.

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FOUR GENERATIONS ATTEND WEDDING

Interesting Guests at Marriage of Mr. Livingstone and Miss Bull.

A very pretty wedding took place yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. Wm. Bull, Esquimalt road, when his daughter, Miss Edith Bull, was united in marriage with Mr. John Livingston, of Lulu Island, the Rev. W. Leslie Clay officiating.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was very becomingly gowned in cream cloth, with veil and orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Reta Bull, in a pretty bridesmaid's dress of white lawn, and by her little nieces, Irene Hazel Dodds, and Mary J. Mutch, in dainty white and blue silk dresses, respectively. They carried baskets of white roses.

The drawing room, where the ceremony took place, was very artistically decorated with roses and marguerites, and in the dining room where an elaborate wedding breakfast was served, the walls were festooned with maythorn, while on the table, roses and maiden hair fern held sway.

The wedding was unique from the fact that there were four generations present: The bride's grandfather, Mr. Wayne, who came to Victoria fifty-seven years ago, crossing in the same vessel with Dr. Helmcken; Mrs. Bull, his daughter, the bride's mother; Mrs. Dodds, her daughter, and Irene Hazel Dodds, one of the little flower girls.

A great many beautiful gifts were received by the bride. The groom's gift to her was a handsome purse containing a substantial cheque and a gold bracelet. To the bridesmaid he also gave a gold bracelet; to the flower girls gold pins set with wishbones of seed pearls; and to Mr. Charles Bull, the best man, gold cuff links.

The bride travelled in a cream serge tailored suit and becoming hat of white leghorn trimmed with roses. Mr. and Mrs. Livingston left on the afternoon train for a wedding trip up the E. & N. They will make their home on Lulu Island.

Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Mutch and Mrs. Smith, from Lulu Island, and Mr. Livingston, from New Westminster, all of whom returned to their homes last evening.

YOUNG WOMAN'S CLUB CLOSES FOR SEASON

Social Evening Spent at Gorge Park—Compliments on Work.

The Young Women's Club of the Metropolitan church celebrated their closing for the season by a delightful outing at the Gorge park last evening. Almost all the club members were present, and a few of their friends as well, among whom were Rev. T. E. Holling, the honorary president, and Mrs. Holling.

Before tea was served a number of snap shots were taken of the company which will be much valued souvenirs of the closing of a pleasant and profitable year's work.

Very dainty and substantial refreshments, including ice cream, were served from long picnic tables gay with roses, and at the close Rev. Mr. Holling briefly reviewed the season's work, complimenting the club must highly on what they had accomplished, and on the kindly spirit which had been shown in all their undertakings.

During the season the club has devoted considerable time to the study of Ruskin's Sesame and Lilies, and lectures by prominent speakers on different subjects have been given under the club's auspices. Mr. Bethune one evening gave some most interesting reminiscences on music, and musicians he had known. Mr. Parsons contributed an evening with Mendelssohn, and Rev. Chancellor Burwash, of Toronto, spoke on books, their use and abuse. Dr. Etta Donovan and Dr. T. J. Ryan gave talks on medical subjects, and Mrs. Sheldon and Mrs. Mitchell on social purity. Besides these, several evenings were devoted to the promotion of sociability among the members.

In closing Mr. Holling paid a very high tribute to the marked executive ability of the president of the club, Miss Jones, whose never failing tact had done so much to promote all that was highest and best. On the motion of one of the members a vote of thanks was then passed very heartily to Miss Jones and the other officers, and Miss Spencer then moved that the meetings of the club should be adjourned until the autumn, and the adjournment was made after giving vent to the club yell:

"One—two—three;
Who are we?
There's the rub,
The Met-ro-pol-i-tan Young Women's Club!"

JOHN DREW COMING.

He Will Appear in "Jack Straw" at Victoria Theatre Next Monday.

John Drew in "Jack Straw" will be the attraction at the Victoria theatre on Monday next. In this new play by W. Somerset Maugham, the newest of the British dramatists, Mr. Drew is said to have found the best play of his career. The title role, that of an adventure-loving Pomeranian prince, who masquerades first as a waiter and then as himself—which may sound paradoxical, but isn't—is a real John Drew part and the popular star is seen at his best in it. The play was one of the big successes of the season in New York, where Mr. Drew presented it at the Empire theatre for four months. An unusually strong cast is supporting Mr. Drew on his tour, including Miss Rose Coghlan, Miss Mary Boland, Miss Adelaide Prince, Miss Grace Henderson, Miss Helen Freeman, Edgar L. Davenport, Mario Majeroni, Edwin Nicander, Frank Goldsmith and E. Soldene Powell.

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COMMISSIONER IS ON WAY TO NORTH

He Will Represent Indian Department at Conference.

Attempts have been made in certain quarters to create the impression that the Indians in the northern interior were in insurrection. The latest reports from Hazelton and the north indicate that the first reports were very much exaggerated. The Indians who stopped the land seekers have been punished by the infliction of a fine and nothing of a serious nature has taken place.

A commissioner from the Indian department at Ottawa is on his way to Hazelton to confer with the Indians on various matters. Such an official was asked to be sent last year, and the department is carrying out an assurance that this would be done.

The delay in sending the commission in the spring has been due to reports being received at Ottawa that the Skeena was late in opening. He is now, however, on his way from Ottawa, and his conference with the Indians will doubtless have a good effect in assuring the natives that their interests will be protected in the opening up of the country to colonization.

RIGHT OF VEHICLES TO DRIVE ON TRACK

Windsor Grocery Company Suing for Damages to Delivery Wagon.

That vehicles have just as much right to drive on the part of the roadways on which the street railway tracks run, subject to turning out to allow cars to pass them, was laid down by W. H. Langley in county court this morning in the case of the Windsor Grocery Company against the B. C. Electric Railway Company. A. E. McPhillips, K.C., is for the company.

On Christmas eve a delivery wagon driven by Samuel R. Pimm was proceeding up Fort street, in the middle of the double tracks, when near Stanley avenue it was run down by a car, the wheels smashed and upset. The driver was bruised and stunned. In the witness-box to-day he said that no gong had been sounded until the instant before the car struck the wagon. He admitted on cross-examination that on turning out of Yates street he had not looked to see if there was any car behind him.

The defence is that the wagon turned out of Yates street about twenty feet ahead of a car and continued along in front of it, that the gong was sounded and that just before being hit the wagon turned in toward the track, which caused the step to strike the wheel before the motorman could stop.

GARDEN FETE.

Emmanuel Baptists Held Enjoyable Afternoon at R. J. Westcott's.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Emmanuel Baptist church held a very enjoyable garden fete on the grounds of Mr. J. R. Westcott's new home at the Gorge yesterday afternoon and evening.

the view from the lawn, which slopes down to the water's edge, was very pretty, and Mr. Westcott did a thriving trade with his launch, taking passengers out on the water for a small sum individually, which netted quite a handsome amount for the Ladies' Aid, however, when counted up. Booths, decorated with quantities of wild flowers, and strings of Chinese lanterns stretched across the lawn, combined to produce a very gay scene.

Mrs. Clements, Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Johnson had charge of the strawberry booth, the Misses Bessie Coates and May Woods looked after the ice-cream; Miss Ruth Wood sold home-made candy, and Mrs. Simmons and Mrs. Sherwood dispensed tea and other refreshments, assisted by a number of young ladies.

TO DECIDE WHETHER SOOKE OR GOLDSTREAM

Special Meeting of City Council To Be Held To-night.

It is expected that at the special council meeting to-night a decision will be reached on the water supply problem, and that a satisfactory agreement will be made with the B. C. Electric Railway Company regarding power and light charges.

The opinion of E. P. Davis, K.C., Vancouver, as to the extent of the city's power to expropriate the Esquimalt Waterworks Company's undertaking, will be read to the council. It is understood that the learned counsel holds that the city has full power to expropriate the whole thing—Goldstream, Thetis lake and the Victoria West plant—in which he differs from the city solicitor, who said he had grave doubts as to the power to take the whole undertaking.

The agreement with the B. C. Electric Company will guarantee the city certain rates in return for the agreement not to enter into competition with the company in the development of power. As soon as it is signed the company will proceed at once to carry out its plans for the development of Jordan river.

ANNUAL MUSTER PARADE ON SUNDAY

Fifth Regiment Will Attend Divine Service in Camp.

The orders for to-day for the Fifth Regiment, issued by Lieut.-Col. Hall, contains the following:

Orderly officer for June 25th, Lieut. A. E. Robertson; next for duty, Lieut. H. R. Selfe.

The following man having been re-engaged for a further term of three years is continued on the strength of the regiment, effective for the date specified: Gr. H. Price.

The regiment will parade on Sunday, June 27th, at 10.15 a.m. for the purpose of attending Divine service in camp.

Dress: Church parade order (with serges and new forage caps).

The regiment will parade on Sunday, June 27th, at 11.50 a.m. for the annual muster parade.

Dress: Drill order (with new forage caps).

For this parade O. C. companies will be prepared to hand in pay-sheets in triplicate, medical officer's report and efficiency returns. This parade being compulsory by regulations will entail the loss of one day's pay and efficiency pay of any absentee.

The band will parade at the camp, dry dock at 8.15 to-night for the purpose of rendering a band concert.

PARTNERSHIP SUIT.

Chief Justice is Hearing Case of Quatros vs. Pichon.

A law suit arising out of a partnership deal in timber is being heard by Chief Justice Hunter to-day. The plaintiff is Joseph Quatros, a farmer-fisherman-trader of Esquina Arm, and the defendant Charles Pichon, of this city.

In August, 1903, the men entered into an agreement to become partners in a timber claim on Cracroft island, which was cruised by them later. In January, 1907, the timber was sold to the Ladysmith Lumber Company for $5,000. Quatros now asks for a declaration that he is a partner with Pichon in this matter, and for an order for an accounting. The defence is that the agreement was for only one year, and that whatever has been done since has been done by Pichon personally and for his own account.

R. C. Lowe and W. C. Moresby are representing the plaintiff and Col. F. B. Gregory the defendant.

—Staff-Sergt. Wilkerson, of Work Point barracks, was injured yesterday by a premature explosion of a shell. He is making good progress.

THE BARRETTS,
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WATER MAINS DAMAGED.

Electrolysis Plays Havoc With Pipes at Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, June 24.—That the known damage to the city domestic supply and high pressure water mains through electrolysis amounts to thousands of dollars already, and that it is possible that a great many water mains in the central portion of the city are very seriously affected through the currents of electricity escaping from the street car rails, is practically the essence of the report presented to the board of control this morning by Prof. L. A. Herdt, of McGill University, who has been conducting tests for several months.

The report bears out in every detail the warnings that have been given out for the past nine years by City Electrician Cambridge. The professor did not mince words in making it very clear to the board that instant measures would have to be taken to prevent great loss to the city, and he stated that the work of erecting three sub-stations and rebonding the street car rails should be gone on with day and night until completed.

RESCUE WORKER DEAD.

Winnipeg, June 24.—Brigadier Stewart, one of the Salvation Army's oldest officials, who has been in charge of rescue work under Commissioner Coomb, died at midnight last night. She came here from Toronto for her health, but gradually became worse.

BOY SHOT BY POLICEMAN.

Chicago, June 24.—Rudolph Berndnet, 14 years old, was killed by the police last night, following an attempt on his part to imitate "Black Hand" methods and get money by means of threatening letters. He was shot on a lonely street corner just as he had seized a package supposed to contain $15,000.

The usual color of the canary, in its wild state, is olive green, but the captive bird, as the result of careful attention to breeding, is more generally yellow.

—The congregation of St. Andrew's Roman Catholic cathedral will hold an outing at Goldstream on July 1st. A large committee having in hand the arrangements are now working on it to make it a grand success, as this outing is given principally for the benefit of the Sunday school children of the cathedral parish. E. & N. trains will leave the city at 8 a. m., 9:30 a. m., 11 a. m. and 1 p. m. Returning, will leave Goldstream at 5 p. m., 6:30 p. m. and 8 p. m.

CONTRACT WORK IS CONDEMNED

LABOR MEN HOLD MEETING LAST NIGHT

Resolution Passed Favoring Day Labor System in Civic Work.

A meeting was held in the city hall last evening, called by the Trades and Labor Council, for the purpose of discussing the question of a contract labor system as compared with the day labor system. The meeting was not largely attended, only about one hundred being present. The only member of the city council who attended was Ald. Henderson. Ald. Bishop sent a letter of regret at not being able to attend, and it was explained by the chairman that Mayor Hall was too ill to be present. A resolution was submitted and carried, which read as follows:

Wheres, the city council has decided to have certain of the street work already outlined done by contrict, and

Whereas, the adoption of that policy will have the tendency to abolish the system of day labor, which has been in practise for several years, and which has been conspicuously successful by giving the city the best quality of work at less cost than same would have been done by contract, besides providing resident citizens and bread-winners with more continuous employment and better working conditions than they could have expected had the works in question been done by contract; and

Whereas, the introduction of contrcats in works of this kind, and its natural and consequent extension in other departments of civic works, will have, among its evil results, the following objectionable features:

1. The absorption of the possible profits from the work to be done, by a third party, instead of allowing same to be divided between the city and the workmen.

2. The elimination from city employment of the elderly and past the prime of life working men, and their places taken by younger, but imported and more precariously employed workers, resulting in the creation of a reserve of unemployed resident citizens who will be compelled to offer their services for lower pay, thus bringing about a process of falling wages. The resultant suffering and want will, for the most, be born by the resident working population of the city.

3. The exposing of the city to unexpected and exorbitant charges for contingent and extra work, as well as the ever threatening danger of litigations with their attendant costs and delays. Therefore, be it

Resolved, that this public meeting of citizens enter an emphatic protest against the action of the city council in adopting a policy of contract work in substitution for day labor, as being contrary to the best interest of the community at large. And be it further

Resolved, that this meeting strongly recommends the continuance and extension of the day labor system in every branch and department of civic works, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the city council.

J. C. Watters, president of the Trades and Labor Council, who was elected chairman, explained at the opening that the object of calling the gathering was to discuss the question of day labor as opposed to the contract syestem on civic work. The movement for the introduction of the contract system was fostered, he felt sure, by interested parties. He had yet to find a good argument put forth as opposed to the day labor system. He had been afraid that the meeting would be a failure because those in favor of contract labor would not dare to appear and advocate the claims for the contract system. What he had expected had happened. Not a member of the city council was present. This went to show that those in favor of a contract system were afraid to meet the labor men on this subject.

Mr. Argyle, in moving the resolution given above, laid stress on the fact that the contractors would reap a profit which should otherwise be divided among a good number of workingmen. The merchants would get back a greater proportion from the working men rather than letting it go to the few contractors. The danger that men who had passed the prime of life would have difficulty in getting work because contractors naturally desired the younger and stronger men was alluded to. The contract system was one of the most inquitous systems ever introduced into the economic world. It was hard to have a contractor live right up to the specifications. Even honest men scrimped the work. At the same price an employer would always prefer day labor to contract work. Specifications as drawn are always imperfect, and litigation often followed the contract system.

The debt of the city of Victoria, he felt, would be found to have been placed during the years when the contract system was in vogue, rather than when the day labor system was in use. The putting in of work on the waterworks by contract had not been a success. The sewer system was started by contract, and had to be done over again by day labor. If there were men who did not do honest work for the city it was the fault of incompetent foremen. The city should see that its foremen were good.

Ald. Henderson, having entered the room, the chairman proposed to vacate the position and give place to acting mayor Henderson.

Mr. Ferguson objected to Mr. Watters vacating the chair. If the mayor and aldermen of the city had been true to their promises there would have been no need for calling this meeting. He moved that Mr. Watters keep the chair.

Ald. Henderson said he preferred not to take the place of Mr. Watters, who could better fill the position.

The chairman said he was not so much actuated by feeling for Ald. Henderson as for himself in urging the course he did—he wished to second the motion and have the privilges of the floor.

Christian Severtz was sorry anything should come up that might break up the meeting. He seconded the motion proposed, and in support of it gave attention to the Ratepayers' Association. The owners of the land naturally were opposed to paying taxes. The Board of Trade had suddenly taken an interest in this matter of civic affairs. He had never heard of the board before taking such a step. He did not know why this was done. Where had Col. Prior got his information that Seattle and Vancouver favored the contract system? Was it gained by a short visit to these cities?

Resident citizens should be given the preference in obtaining work in the city. The city council could do this, but the contractor was not so interested. If day labor did not give satisfaction it was because the department was not efficiently handled.

Mr. Ferguson opened with the words: "Mr. Chairman, working class and capitalistic citizens." He said he had attended the municipal election meetings in cold weather, but he had "basked in the sunshine of the sunny ways" of the candidates. He contended that some of the superintendents under day labor held their places, not so much because of their ability for superintendence as for the ability at slave driving. He warned his audience that if any of them voted for the members of the city council that had not been true to their promises they would be bigger fools than the capitalist class thought they were. He would not "boot lick" any of the members of the council. To have had Ald. Henderson fill the post of honor at this meeting would be a species of "boot licking."

Geo. Oliver took exception to the petition from residents on Edward street, presented to the city council in favor of the contract system. The letter did not represent the views of the majority of the owners. He cited instances of residents and owners who were not in favor of the petition. There seem to be aldermen who were interested in a return to the contract system.

Ald. Henderson was asked to explain the position of the council, and said that there was not the strong feeling in the city council in favor of contract work as was represented at the meeting. He had himself, and he knew others in the council had always been in favor of day labor. To do the work it should be done as economically as by the contract system. If so done better results could be got. He favored day labor up to the extent that the city staff could do it. The city at the present time was up to the limit of its present staff. There was still a greater demand for work, and the members of the council felt that some would have to be let out by contract. Otherwise a large expenditure for additional plant and for staff would have to be made. A few contracts would serve to give those in favor of contract labor a chance to see what it would cost.

Ald. Henderson took the credit for first introducing day labor on the sewers in the city many years ago. The first work undertaken in that way proved a success. From that time on the day labor system prevailed. Wharf street was the only work to be let by contract so far. The ratepayers there insisted upon the job being so done.

G. W. Eden opposed the contract system.

Vice-President Dougall of the Trades and Labor Council said the result of the contract system in other places had been that graft and corruption crept in. They did not want to see that here in Victoria. There were other acts of the council that deserved condemnation. There was the infamous Sunday closing law. If the council went down to posterity it would be known as "the council that stole the candy from the kid."

Ed. Bragg wanted to know why there were so few present at the meeting.

The chairman said that the attendance was too small. Labor men were not alive to their own interests.

After some further discussion the resolution was submitted and carried unanimously.

AN ATTRACTIVE WINDOW DISPLAY OF WHITE SWAN SOAP

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NEW ANAESTHETIC.

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The chief medical authorities of London are giving a high place to the new anaesthetic, stovaine. It is administered by spinal injection. The shock to the patient is said to be far less than that caused by other anaesthetics. A patient with heart complaint can survive its administration where either chloroform or ether would be dangerous. Special skill is required in its use, so its injection is not performed by the resident anaesthetist of hospitals, but only by members of the visiting staff. A patient under the influence of stovaine becomes insensible to pain, but is not unconscious.

The drug is the discovery of a surgeon of Bucharest, Roumania. The anaesthetic as used in a combination of strychnine and stovaine. It is injected in the lower part of the spine for operations below the waist and in the neck for operations above. Dr. Bennyryall is the physician who has brought some of it to London.

PAPER PAVEMENTS.

In several countries the experiment is being made with a view to the utilization of paper for paving the roads and streets, says the English Mechanic. Blocks compressed to great solidity are desirable, and are claimed to withstand the wear and tear of traffic. The cost, however, of this scheme is at present too great to permit of anything like a wide adoption of it. For carriage-ways to private houses and similar purposes, paper pavements, it is claimed, will, however, come into vogue at no distant day.

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Rhubarb, local, outdoor	3½
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Tomatoes, Mexican, per basket	75
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Strawberries (local), per crate	2.25
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Oranges (Seedling), per box	2.75@ 3.25
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Watercress, per doz.	40
Green Onions, per doz.	25
Radish, per doz.	30
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Portland Canal Mining	.07½	.10
Pacific Coast Fire	....	125.00
Pacific Tin M. & S. Co.	....	1.00
Royal Collieries	.21	.25
Silica Brick	....	4.25
Snowstorm	160.00	175.00
United Wireless (unstamped)	....	20.00
Vancouver Briquette Coal	....	.49
Western Oil	2.00	....
West. Can. Wood P. & P.	.80	....

NEW YORK STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, June 24.

	High.	Low.	Bid.
Amal. Copper	82¼	80¾	82
Amer. Car & Foundry	56	55¼	55¾
Amer. Cot. Oil	75¼	73¾	75¼
Amer. Loco.	59¾	59¾	59¼
Amer. Smelting	91¾	90¾	91¼
Amer. Sugar	124¾	124¼	124¼
Amer. Tel.	142¾	141¾	141¾
Anaconda	49¼	48¾	49
Atchison	115¾	115	115¼
Do., pref.	105¾	105¾	105¼
B. & O.	117¾	116¾	117¼
B. R. T.	79	78¼	78¼
C. P. R.	182¼	182	182
C. & O.	77¾	76¾	76¾
C. & A.	69¾	69	69
C. & G. W.	3	2½	2½
Do., pref. "B"	5¼	4½	4½
C. & W.	182¼	182	182
C., M. & St. P.	153¼	152¾	153
Do., pref.	168¼	168¼	168¼
Central Leather	31¼	31	31¼
C. F. & I.	43¾	43¼	43¾
Con. Gas	140¾	139¼	139¾
Corn Products	23¼	22¾	23¼
D. & R. G.	49¾	48¼	48¼
Do., pref.	88¾	88¾	88¾
Erie	36¼	35¾	36
Do., 1st pref.	53	52¾	52¾
Do., 2nd pref.	43¼	43¼	43¼
Gen. Elec.	162¾	161¼	162¼
G. N. Ore ctfs.	76¾	75¾	75¾
G. N., pref.	149¼	148¾	149
Inter-Metro.	17	16¾	16¾
Do., pref.	48¾	47	48¾
Int. Paper	15¾	15¼	15¾
Iowa Central	29¾	29¼	29¼
Do., pref.	56¾	56	56¼
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	138¾	138	138¾
M., K. & T.	41¾	40¾	41¼
Mo. Pac.	73¾	73	73¼
Nat. Lead	86¼	84¾	85¼
Newhouse	12	11¾	11¾
N. Y. C.	133¾	132¾	133¼
N. Y., O. & W.	53¾	53	53
N. P.	152	151¾	151¾
Pennsy.	136¾	136	136
People's Gas	114¼	113¾	113¾
Pressed Steel	42¾	42¼	42
Reading	153¾	152½	153
Rep. Steel	21¼	20¾	20¾
Do., pref.	104¾	104	104¼
Rock Island	31¾	31¼	31¼
Do., pref.	71¼	70¼	70¼
S. P.	130¾	129¼	130¼
Do., pref.	132¾	131¼	132¾
Texas Pac.	35	34¼	34¾
Third Ave.	24¾	24¼	22
T., St. L. & W.	48	47	47¾
U. P.	194¾	192¾	194
Do., pref.	110	105¾	107
U. S. Steel	67¼	66¼	66¾
Do., pref.	124¼	123¾	123¾
Utah Copper	49	48¾	48¾
Va. Car. Chem.	54¼	53¾	53¾
Wabash	22¼	22	22
Western Union	72¾	71¾	71¼
Westinghouse	84¾	84¼	84¼
Beet Sugar	44	43	43¼
Kas. City Sou.	46	44¼	45¼
Southern Ry.	32¼	31¼	31¼
Do., pref.	70¾	70	69¼

Money on call, 1½ per cent.
Total sales, 723,900 shares.

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WHEAT ADVANCES IN CHICAGO PIT

To-day's Crop Reports Best of Season—Cash Demand Declines.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Chicago, June 24.—The wheat market was strong all day and closed ¼ to ⅝c a bushel above the final figures of yesterday. Liverpool was rather weak at the opening, but the trade there underwent a change soon after and prices were forced to ⅛ to ½d above yesterday at to-day's closing.

Home news was of a character to attract a bearish following, crop news being generally the best of the season, while the demand for cash stuff is falling off at all centres and in instances prices are being shaded a fraction here and there. Then again millers are inclined to be more discriminating in their purchases.

To offset this bearish news the report came from Kansas City that millers there were trying to secure options on the coming crop at $1 a bushel but were not meeting with much success.

Minneapolis reported that Northwestern receipts of wheat were coming more freely.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, June 24.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
July	113¾	114¾	113	113¾
Sept.	107¼	108¼	107¼	108¼
Dec.	106¼	107¼	106¼	106¾
May	109¼	109¾	108¾	109¼
Corn—				
July	70¼	70¾	69¾	69¾
Sept.	68	68¼	67¼	67¾
Dec.	57¾	58	57¼	57¾
May	58¾	58¾	58¼	58¼
Oats—				
July	50¼	50¼	49¼	49¾
Sept.	43	43¼	42¾	43
Dec.	43¼	43¼	43	43¼
May	...	45¼	45¼	45¾
Pork—				
July	19.80	19.90	19.75	19.87
Sept.	20.00	20.12	19.97	20.07
Lard—				
July	11.70	11.72	11.65	11.72
Sept.	11.72	11.80	11.72	11.80
Short Ribs—				
July	10.92	11.02	10.90	11.00
Sept.	10.90	11.00	10.87	11.00

MONTREAL STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Montreal, June 23.

	Bid.	Asked.
Bell Telephone	148	149
Detroit United Ry.	60¾	61
Dom. Coal	75	75¼
Do., pref.	112	115
Dom. Iron & S.	43¾	44¼
Do., pref.	123¾	124
Mackay	80¼	80¾
Do., pref.	72¼	75
Montreal Lt. & P.	121¼	122
Montreal St. Ry.	217	218
Nova Scotia Steel	67¼	67¾
Do., pref.	..	120
R. & O. Navigation Co.	81¼	83
Sao Paulo Tram	..	147¼
Toronto Ry. Co.	123¼	124¼
Twin City Rap. Trans.	104¼	..
Penman	53¾	54
Do., pref.	91¼	..
Banks.		
Merchants	162	..
Molsons	202	203¼
Quebec	125	..
Royal	235	..
Toronto	220	..

MINING STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Spokane, June 24.

	Bid.	Asked.
Alameda	18	24
Copper King	41	42
Gertie	18	24
Humming Bird	7	9
Lucky Calumet	5	6
Missoula Copper	2	3
Monitor	33	38
Nabob	2¾	3
North Franklin	48	54
Kendall	50	100
O. K. Consolidated	½	1
Oom Paul	3	5
Rex	10	12¼
Snowshoe	7	7¾
Snowstorm	165	170
Stewart	50	65
Tamarack	75	..
Wonder	2¼	3¼
International Coal	70	73
Rambler Cariboo	9¾	10¾
Idora	32	33
Idaho S. & R.	1¾	2¼

BANK STATEMENT.

Washington, D. C., June 24.—The comptroller of the currency to-day issued a call for a statement of the condition of all national banks at the close of business on June 23rd.

San Francisco Markets

(Times Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Cal., June 24.—Wheat—No. 1 California Club, per cental, $2.10@$2.15; California White Milling, $2.15@$2.20; Northern Blue Stem, $2.27½@$2.32½; off grades wheat, $1.90@$2; reds, $2.10@$2.20.

Barley—Feed barley, $1.40@$1.42½; common to fair, $1.37½@$1.38¾; brewing at San Francisco, nominal; Chevalier, nominal.

Eggs—Per dozen, California fresh, including cases, extras, 25½c.; firsts, 24½c.; seconds, 21½c.; thirds, 21c.

Butter—Per pound, California fresh, extras, 25½c.; firsts, 25c.; seconds, 24c.

New Cheese—Per pound, California flats, fancy, 13½c.; firsts, 12½c.; seconds, 12c.; California Young America, fancy, 16c.; firsts, 14½c.; Eastern Oregon, 15c.; do., Young America, 15½c.

Potatoes—Per cental, River Whites, fancy, $1.50@$1.65; Oregon Burbanks, $1.50@$1.75; new potatoes, per cental, $1.25@$1.75 for choice, and $2 for fancy.

Onions—Red, per sack, 40c.@60c.; yellow, 75c.@$1 per cental.

Oranges—Per box, navels, $1.75@$3, according to sizes; Valencias, $2@$2.75.

Do Children Need Alcohol?

Ask your doctor how often he prescribes an alcoholic stimulant for children. He will probably say, "Very, very rarely." Ask him how often he prescribes a tonic for them. He will probably answer, "Very, very frequently." Then ask him about Ayer's non-alcoholic Sarsaparilla as a tonic for the young. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

COPPER MARKET

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Boston, June 24.

	Bid.	Asked.
Adventure	7½	8
Allouez	43	44
Arcadian	42	5
Atlantic	9½	9¾
Boston Cons.	14½	15
Butte Coalition	25¼	25¾
Black Mountain	1	1¼
Calumet & Arizona	103	104
Centennial	32	33
Copper Range	81½	82
Cumberland-Ely	7¾	8
Daly-West	84	84
Davis-Daly	53	54
East Butte	122	123
First National	54	54
Granby Copper	101	101½
Globe Cons.	4	4½
Greene Cananea	10¼	10¾
Hancock	10	10½
Helvetia	5¼	53
Isle Royale	26	26½
Keweenaw	4½	4½
Lake	22	22½
La Salle	13	13½
Mass	9	9½
B. C. Copper	7	7½
Dom. Copper	..	3
Michigan	10	10½
Miami	15¾	16
Mohawk	65½	66½
Nevada-Utah	1½	2
Nipissing	10½	10¾
Nevada Cons.	23½	23½
North Butte	57½	57½
Osceola Copper	134	136
Old Dominion	53	54
Parrot Mining	30½	31
Quincy Copper	88	89½
Shannon Copper	15	15½
Superior & Pittsburg	14	14½
Superior Copper	41½	42½
Superior & Boston	15½	15¾
Tamarack	69½	..
Trinity	11	..
Victoria	4	4½
United Copper	10½	10¾
U. S. Smelt. & Ref.	49½	49¾
Do., pref.	49½	49¾
Utah Consolidated	42	42½
Utah Copper	48¾	49½
Winona	5½	5¾
Wolverine	149	152
Ohio Copper	4½	4¾
Yukon	4¾	4½

WORLD'S COMMERCE.

Distribution of Trade for the Year—Few Countries Control.

A new record for the international commerce of the world was established in 1907, according to the statistical abstract of the United States, prepared by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor. This abstract put the total exports of the various countries and colonies of the world in that year at $14,000,000,000, and the imports at $16,000,000,000. Ten countries contributed more than two-thirds of the total. On the export side the United Kingdom headed the list with $2,073,000,000; the United States coming next with $1,835,000,000; Germany next with $1,629,000,000, and France fourth with $1,080,000,000. On the import side the United Kingdom again headed the list with $3,143,000,000; Germany coming second with $2,082,000,000; France third with $1,201,000,000, and the United States fourth with $1,194,000,000. Fractionally two-thirds of this total of international trade is accredited to Europe. In the year under consideration Canada took 58 per cent. of her imports from the United States.

TO-MORROW'S RACE ENTRIES.

The entries for to-morrow's race at the Willows are as follows:

1st race—4½ furlongs; selling; maiden; 2 year olds:

4529 Alarmed	100
4125 Matchem	100
4530 Terrago	100
4439 Lady Elizabeth	*95
4486 Risky	100
4474 Bellini	*95
4530 Otranto	*103
4480 Ketchel	105

2nd race—5 furlongs; selling; 4 year olds and up:

4496 Auburndale	105
4487 My Choice	107
(4504) Prince Brutus	116
4502 Water Thrush	107
4506 Titus II.	*111
3085 Red Bill	116
(4500) All Alone	114

3rd race—1 mile; selling; 3 year olds and up:

4521 Jacomo	116
4520 Benvolio	111
4520 Colbert	104
4527 Rama	106
(4497) Translucent	113
4508 J. R. Laughrey	113
4523 Taunt	106
4508 Miss Mazzoni	102

4th race—6½ furlongs; selling; 3 year olds and up:

L.A. 708 2935 Belle of Brass	100
(4522) Merrill	114
4523 Calla	*102
(4513) Sam McGibben	114
4509 Illusion	112
4525 Song of the Sea	*104
(4521) Metlakatla	112
4522 Sink Spring	114
4489 Zelina	112

5th race—6 furlongs; selling; 3 year olds and up:

4579 Zalta	100
4519 Traffic	105
4515 Nellie Racine	112
4513 Lord Rossington	114
4513 Banellen	112
4478 Adela R.	112
4521 Margaret Randolph	110
4519 Peggy O'Neal	*107
4519 Mr. Bishop	102

6th race—6 furlongs; selling; 3 year olds and up:

4522 Forest Rose	110
4513 La Taranta	114
4521 Black Cloud	114
4502 Aftermath	114
4516 Adena	110
4519 Mechlin	112
4507 Novgorod	102
4500 Sir Angus	113

*Apprentice allowance.

—The total reduction made by the court of revision in the assessment roll for 1909 was $19,960, of which $5,660 is on lands and $14,300 on improvements. This leaves the total real estate assessment of the city at $28,326,070, the amount on land being $17,961,020, and on improvements $10,365,050.

A MAN OF IMAGINATION.

The late H. H. Rogers was so long in the public mind with the Standard Oil group of capitalists that his own identity was not appreciated by the average man. In the belief that success is a duty, he doubtless was in most profitable harmony with his associates, but the great combination which we know as "Standard Oil" is made up of many men of many minds. Mr. Rogers' mind was peculiar. In him the imaginative faculty was strong. He possessed imagination in the sense in which Emerson defined it, "the use which the Reason makes of the material world." To him in no small degree the Standard Oil owes its position as one of the "powers" of the commercial world. The scope of his views was most comprehensive and supplemented most powerfully the somewhat narrow if very intense natures of the other members of the Standard hierarchy. He employed the most highly salaried stenographer in New York—probably on the continent. This lady's stipend was $10,000. He found her business astuteness of no common order and her secretarial services invaluable.—Montreal Herald.

SLACK WATER, ACTIVE, PASS, B. C.

June, 1909.

Date.	H.W.	Slack	L.W.	Slack
1	1 28	15 54	9 15	21 12
2	1 53	16 36	9 41	21 57
3	2 19	17 19	10 10	22 41
4	2 47	18 03	10 48	23 26
5	3 17	18 47	11 35	...
6	3 51	19 32	0 15	11 59
7	4 33	20 16	1 12	12 43
8	5 27	20 59	2 17	13 31
9	6 36	21 40	3 25	14 24
10	8 04	22 19	4 33	15 23
11	9 51	22 57	5 37	16 26
12	11 27	23 35	6 30	17 33
13	...	13 01	7 18	18 39
14	0 13	14 21	8 03	19 45
15	0 50	15 24	8 44	20 49
16	1 26	16 19	9 23	21 49
17	2 03	17 11	10 01	22 47
18	2 42	18 00	10 39	23 44
19	3 23	18 46	11 18	...
20	4 06	19 28	0 42	11 58
21	4 52	20 07	1 43	12 39
22	5 43	20 45	2 48	13 21
23	6 49	21 17	3 57	14 04
24	8 07	21 49	4 58	14 48
25	9 40	22 20	5 48	15 34
26	11 29	22 51	6 31	16 25
27	13 07	23 21	7 06	17 27
28	14 14	23 51	7 37	8 37
29	...	15 07	8 07	19 43
30	0 22	15 50	8 38	20 41

The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight.

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House cost exclusive of land, ten thousand dollars to build, is located inside city limits and close to car line and school; hallway is panelled in cedar with arch leading to one of the handsomest staircases in the city, which is lighted by a beautiful colored art glass window worth not less than $500, and stairway all panelled, with standing electric lamps on posts. In the parlor is a cedar mantle inlaid with solid plate glass mirrors and floral tiled fireplace of very handsome design, the ceiling having a cornice of imported terra cotta in elaborate design and terra cotta centre piece. Dining room has large bay window with terra cotta cornice and centre piece. Large kitchen with all modern conveniences and three pantries, hard finished in cedar. Front bedroom downstairs with circular bay window and two large set-in wardrobes, each having a solid bevelled plate glass door. Upstairs has three bedrooms, sewing room, two storerooms, den and large bathroom with modern conveniences and finished in cedar. In addition every room has an eighteen-inch cedar baseboard, doors of extra thickness and quality, door heads and frames of double cedar moulding; the house rests on a solid brick foundation with all brick pillars and basement under whole house; floor brick paved and properly tile drained. The lot on which the house stands is 70 x 200 feet, all in fruit trees, garden and ornamental shrubbery. The price for the immediate sale of this choice property is $6,500, with reasonable terms to responsible purchaser. Additional land up to two acres can be purchased along with the house at a reasonable price if buyer wishes it.

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PROGRAMME FOR ANNUAL REGATTA

List of Events to Take Place on Cowichan Bay on Dominion Day.

(Special Correspondence.)

Duncan, June 23.—The following programme has been arranged for the annual Dominion Day regatta at Cowichan Bay, the first event to take place at 10 a. m.

Columbia river sailing boat race.
Boys' double sculls (under 14 years of age.)
Gentlemen's double sculls, lady coxswain.
Gentlemen's double paddle canoe race.
Motor boat race.
Dinghy sailing race.
Dinghy rowing and sailing race.
Indian boys' single paddle canoe race.
Klootchman's double paddle canoe race.
Indians' single paddle canoe race.
Gentlemen's upset canoe race.
Indians' double paddle canoe race.
Indians' upset canoe race.
Greasy pole (gentlemen.)
Log-rolling contest.
Mop fight (white.)

All entries are to be in the hands of the honorary secretary, H. D. Morten, Duncan, on or before Saturday, June 26th, and no competitor will be eligible to race except the entry fee be previously paid. The entry fees are motor and sailing boats, $1. All other events, except Indian, 50c. per head, exclusive of coxswain. Programmes giving times of races and other particulars will be issued later. No race will take place unless there are three or more entries. A large committee representing different parts of the district has been at work for some time and everything possible is being done to ensure good races.

The dates have been fixed for the annual tennis tournament at the Duncan courts. The Hayward challenge cup for men's championship of the Cowichan district, will be played for on the Duncan courts on July 16th and 17th. The open tournament of gentlemen's and ladies' singles and doubles and mixed doubles, will be on July 29th, 30th and 31st.

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Saratoga, N. Y., June 24. — While riding in his auto, Wm. V. Birney, an artist, of New York, was stricken with apoplexy and died before his wife, who was with him, noticed that he was ill. Not until the machine suddenly swerved from the road did Mrs. Birney realize that her husband, who was driving the car, was dead. She jumped in time to save herself from injury, and the machine toppled over in the ditch and was wrecked.

PREMIER ENTERTAINED.

Nelson, June 23.—Premier Richard McBride and Hon. Thomas Taylor, minister of works, were the guests of the Canadian Club at a luncheon in their honor to-day. The function was a wholly non-partizan one, and was attended by leading Liberals and Conservatives.

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SCHOOL ELECTION IN SAANICH MUNICIPALITY

Polling to Fill Vacancy on Board Will Take Place Next Wednesday.

(Special Correspondence.)

Gordon Head, June 23.—An election will be held at the municipal office on Glanford avenue on Wednesday, the 30th inst. for the purpose of selecting a member of the board of trustees for the Saanich municipal school district. S. M. Garland, former trustee, resigned owing to business matters which called him from his school work.

On Tuesday evening instead of the usual meeting of the Court Douglas branch of the Foresters, a strawberry social was held by them in the Temperance hall. Two tally-hoes and two busses filled with members, arrived at the Mt. Tolmie post office at eight o'clock and, headed by a band of drums and piccalos, they marched to the hall, where the members of Court Douglas were waiting to welcome them. At nine o'clock the hall was thrown open to visitors, and after a enjoyable programme, strawberries, cream and cake were served. The visitors left for the city about midnight with t' e cheers for Court Douglas.

Two institute meetings were held in the district, one at Gordon Head and the other at Cedar Hill on Wednesday and Thursday. T. Baylis delivered interesting and instructive addresses on poultry.

LARGER HOSPITAL IS NOW NECESSARY

New Westminster Council is Asked to Submit By-law to Raise $30,000.

New Westminster, June 23.—A deputation from the board of managers of the Royal Columbia hospital, waited upon the council at its last meeting to urge the presentation of a by-law for hospital purposes. The deputation asked for $30,000, as the contribution of the city, believing it would be voted by the public.

James Cunningham presented the matter to the council. They all knew he said, how the hospital was overcrowded. Their building while it was of wood, had done good service in the past; they could not expect always to give the public the satisfaction they should obtain because more room must be maintained. They thought the time was ripe for the submission of a by-law with the others, suggesting the sum of $30,000 as a start.

They hoped the city would make up by private subscription the sum of $20,000, as the total cost with equipment would be $100,000 or a little more. Mrs. Hill spoke for the lady members of the board, and Mr. Sinclair followed. He indicated that the provincial government would be approached for further assistance. The hospital had often 70 to 80 patients, instead of some 45, for which it was built. Mr. Jones also added a few words, and for the council Mayor Keary, speaking as a member of the board, said they were promised $25,000 from outside sources. The new hospital would accommodate 100 patients, and he believed it was their duty to submit the by-law.

All the aldermen admitted the reason for the request and promised the submission of a by-law.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH.

New Westminster, June 23.—Captain Fittendrigh, divisional coroner, went out to Barnet yesterday and held an inquest on the body of an unidentified man whose remains were picked up on the C. P. R. track on Monday night. The man had an arm and leg cut off, and the body was badly mutilated. He is supposed to have been stealing a ride on one of the freight trains, fallen off, and run over by the cars. There was nothing found to assist identification. The jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

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E. J. LAING, Landscape and Jobbing Gardener. Tree pruning and spraying a specialty. Residence, 1045 Mears street. Phone A1213. Office, Wilkerson & Brown's Greenhouse, corner Cook and Fort streets.

Machinists

L. HAFER, General Machinist, No. 150 Government street. Tel. 930.

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GLOBE METAL POLISH cleans silver, copper and brass. For sale by The Shore Hardware Co., Ltd.

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OSTLER & IMPEY, Painters and General Decorators. Rooms papered or painted on the shortest notice. Write or call at Ostler, 1042 Yates street; or Impey, 1770 Fairfield road.

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MONEY LOANED on diamonds, jewellery and personal effects. A. A. Aaronson, cor. Johnson and Broad.

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SEWER PIPE, Field Tile, Ground Fire Clay, Flower Pots, etc. B. C. Pottery Co., Ltd., corner Broad and Pandora streets, Victoria, B. C.

Scavenging

WING ON, 1709 Government street. Phone 23.

VICTORIA SCAVENGING CO.—Office, 710 Yates street. Phone 662. Ashes and garbage removed.

Second-Hand Goods

WANTED—Old coats and vests, pants, boots and shoes; trunks, valises, shotguns, revolvers, overcoats, etc. Highest cash prices paid. Will call at any address. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, four doors below Government St. Phone 1747.

Stoves

STOVES, RANGES AND HEATERS of all kinds bought and sold. N. R. Foxgord, 1607 Douglas St. Phone A1482.

Stump Puller

STUMP PULLER—Made in 3 sizes, for sale or for hire; contracts taken. J. Ducress, 466 Burnside road, Victoria. Phone A1781.

Truck and Dray

PHONE 1982 FOR JEPSON TRANSFER—Trucking and expressing. Yates St. stand, above Broad. Orders left at Acton's, telephone 1061. Residence, 343 Michigan street.

TRUCKING—Quick service, reasonable charges. I. Walsh & Sons, Baker's Feed Store, 540 Yates street.

VICTORIA TRUCK AND DRAY CO.—Telephone 13. Stable Phone 1793.

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821 FORT ST., Phone 1856. Will be open day or night. Ladies' days are: Mondays from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m., and Fridays 10 a. m. to 2 p. m. Swedish massage.

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A. PETCH, 90 Douglas street. Specialty of English watch repairing. All kinds of clocks and watches repaired.

Y. W. C. A.

FOR THE BENEFIT of young women in or out of employment. Rooms and board. A home from home. 942 Pandora avenue.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Licensing Board for the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay, at their next sitting, to be held 30 days after this date, for a transfer of the license to sell wines, spirits and fermented liquors by retail on the premises known as "The Willows" Hotel, Fort street (late Cadboro Bay road) district of Oak Bay Municipality, to William Winchell and Samuel H. McCain.
Dated this 29th day of May, A.D. 1909.
JAMES CHAMBERLAIN.

THE GORGE
FERRY BOAT HOUSE
OPPOSITE JAPANESE TEA GARDENS.

Ladies and gentlemen desirous of going boating without sand in their shoes are recommended to try the Ferry Boat House now located at the Victoria Gardens, only three minutes' walk from cars. Boats and canoes at all hours.

READ THE TIMES

MISCELLANEOUS

Business Chances

COMPLETE SHOOTING GALLERY FOR SALE, with cylinder piano. Box 214, Times. je23

FOR SALE—Gas cooking stoves, snatch block, log chains, syphon, saws, men's clothes, guns, etc., at I X L Second-Hand Store, Oriental Alley, opp. Pantages Theatre, Johnson street.

For Charter.

FOR CHARTER—Hunting launch "Kelvin," 40 ft. by 9 ft., speed 9 miles; comfortable and seaworthy; exploring, surveying, timber cruising, hunting or fishing parties; two guests; galley, lavatory, electric light. Apply L. S. Higgs, South Pender Island. Long distance telephone. jy9

For Rent—Houses

ADVERTISEMENTS under this head 1 cent per word per insertion; 3 insertions, 2 cents per word; 4 cents per word per week; 50 cents per line per month. No advertisement for less than 10 cents.

TO LET—5 room cottage, bathroom, 2556 Quadra street; $15 per month. je24

TO LET—Two furnished cottages, on Dallas road, hot and cold water, bath and electric light. Apply to Mrs. M. R. Smith, "Seaview," 104 Dallas road. je28

TO RENT—Furnished, modern 7 roomed house, close to car line. Apply 1410 Harrison street, between 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. je25

TO LET—Newly furnished five roomed cottage, on Head street, near car line. W. J. Fraser, Thoburn P. O. je15 tf

TO LET—4 room cottage, stable and building 15x45, good workshop or storage, centrally located. Particulars 1319 Government St., Room 5. m27 tf

For Rent—Store

FINE CORNER STORE FOR RENT, on Johnson street. Apply Queen's Hotel. je22

For Sale—Acreage

SNAP IN A 5-ACRE RANCH, situate in Strawberry Vale, 4 miles from City Hall, with a pretty 5 room house, 130 six-year-old fruit trees, bearing, one acre of potatoes, strawberry plants, gooseberry, raspberry canes, etc., good water; this is a revenue producer, and is worth to-day $4,000; owner is obliged to sell; price $3,200; terms, $2,000 cash, balance arranged. Apply Greenwood, over Northern Bank. je24

80 ACRES—Shawnigan district. Apply Box 97, Times Office. Sep 3

Everybody Wants Something.

If You Want THAT SOMETHING ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES.

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For Sale—Articles

FOR SALE—2 young, well bred mares; mowing machine, rake, phaeton and flain wagon with pole and shafts. D. L. Kelly, 1703 Lillian road, Foul Bay. je23

TENT FOR SALE—Size 15x20, 6 feet wall, in good condition; also small counter. T. Plimley, Beacon Hill. Phone 2078. je25

LAUNCH ENGINE (steam), 2 cyl., 5½x6 in. stroke, good condition, $125. C. Brown, Hereward road, Victoria West. je25

FOR SALE—Second-hand delivery wagon, in good condition. Apply 510 Johnson street. je24

FOR SALE—At 1338 Gladstone Ave., 1 tubular steam boiler, 24 horse power; 1 new rubber tired buggy; 1 heavy express wagon; 4 light wagons and 2 road carts. jy14

BAGSHAW'S TOMATOES are the best on the market. Wholesale by F. R. Stewart and Sonley & Lewis. je30

NEW BICYCLES, with "New Departure" coaster brake, mud guards, detachable tires, $25. Catalogue free. Bicycle Munson, Toronto.

FOR SALE—Bamboo rods, 2-piece, 50c.; fishing reels, 25c.; cross-cut saws, $1; Underhill shingle hatchets, $1.75; claw hammers, 50c.; army boots, $2.50; canvas covers, $1.25; ladies' silver watches and chains, $4.50. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson St., 4 doors below Government. Phone 1747.

FOR SALE—Shop fixtures. Apply Box 8, this office.

CHOICE FIR DOORS, sash, mouldings, etc., at lowest prices. Moore & Whittington, Yates street.

BICYCLES and everything for them, catalogue free. Bicycle Munson, Toronto.

FOR SALE—Refrigerators, walnut hall seat, mahogany whatnot, dressers and stands, Navy boarding axes, brass kettles, toy motors, magnets, blasting machine, will fire 5 to 8 holes, carpenter tools, etc. The Old Curiosity Shop, Fred. Jeeves, cor. Fort and Blanchard streets.

FOR SALE—Spring wagon and buggy top. McGregor's Blacksmith Shop, Johnson street.

FOR SALE—One first-class cow, newly calved; ten small pigs; also buggies, light wagons, horses and harness. Apply to I. J. J. Fisher's Carriage Shop, 542 Discovery, or Mitchell street, Oak Bay.

J. W. BOLDEN, the carpenter and jobber, has removed from Yates street to corner Fort and Quadra. Telephone L1732. m27 tf

MISCELLANEOUS

For Sale—Horses

DELIVERY HORSE FOR SALE, 4 years old. 2821 Cedar Hill road. je26

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy and harness for $120. Apply 1141 North Park street. je19 tf

For Sale—Houses

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A BARGAIN—$700 will secure 8 roomed house (corner lot), bath, pantry, toilets (2), large cellar, summer kitchen, on car line, within 10 minutes from City Hall; excellent condition; balance easy. Holmes, 575 Yates. je25

FOR SALE—New five roomed house, has basement, bath, basin, sink, closet, h. w. boiler, large lot. Apply owner, 1046 Fisguard street. je23 tf

3 SMALL COTTAGES, new and well built, overlooking Hillside avenue, each having large lot, free of rock, one with 6 ft. basement, some fine oaks on lots, $750, $850 and $1,000 each; easy terms. Apply Taylor, 1302 Hillside avenue, opposite Orphanage. jy3

FOR SALE—Price $3,500, Princess Ave., house, built little over year; reception hall, parlor, dining room, with archways between, breakfast room, kitchen, pantry; upstairs, three bedrooms with closets, large sitting room, linen closet, bathroom, toilet; lot 60x110. Box 129, Times. jy7

FOR SALE—Five roomed house, with pantry and bath. Apply 121 Kingston street. jy3

For Sale—Livestock

FINE LOT OF PIGEONS for squab breeding for sale. Inquire 941 Richmond Ave. je26

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Registered Oxford ram; also two exceptionally fine pedigreed Jersey bull calves. W. Bellhouse, Galiano Island, B. C. s jy7

COWS FOR SALE—H. M. Walker, 3153 Delta street. Phone A1794.

For Sale—Lots

BRIGHTON—We still have a few half acre lots from $550 each up. These lots are five minutes from the car line, free from rock, and only half the price of adjoining property. Only a few left. N. B. Maysmith & Co., Mahon Bldg. je23 tf

PRIOR STREET—Four large lots, free from rock and with magnificent view of the city and Straits. Only $500 each. N. B. Maysmith & Co., Mahon Bldg. je23 tf

CENTRAL PARK—A full sized lot facing Queen's avenue, and only 90 feet from the new City Park; $700 for quick sale. N. B. Maysmith & Co., Mahon Bldg. je23 tf

GORGE WATER FRONTAGE—We have 5 acres fronting on the Gorge, above the Victoria Gardens, suitable for subdividing. Owners will sell cheap. Investigate this for a money maker. N. B. Maysmith & Co. je23 tf

FOR SALE—Duchess street, bargain, lot, close to Fort street, fenced; ten-minute car service, facing east, only $800. E. C. B. Bagshawe, 613 Fort street. je24

For Sale—Machinery

FAIRBANKS-MORSE GASOLINE ENGINES produce more horse power and use less fuel than any other machine made. Engines in use prove this. Canadian Fairbanks Co., Ltd., Vancouver. je24

For Sale—Scrip, Stock, Etc.

BAKERIES, LIMITED — We have 75 shares of this stock for sale at $6.50 per share. N. B. Maysmith & Co., Mahon Bldg. je23 tf

IF INTERESTED IN STOCKS, send for our Weekly Market Letter, giving all the best offerings of the week. It is free, a postal brings it. N. B. Maysmith & Co. je23 tf

BEFORE BUYING STOCKS, write for our report on the Company you are interested in. We may save you money. N. B. Maysmith & Co., Mahon Bldg. je23 tf

PACIFIC LOAN CO.—Four shares at $55 per share with coming dividend of 12 per cent. N. B. Maysmith & Co., Mahon Bldg. je23 tf

IF YOU HAVE STOCKS FOR SALE, list them with us. We have connections in all the important stock centres in America. N. B. Maysmith & Co., Mahon Bldg. je23 tf

For Sale—Poultry and Eggs.

PARTRIDGE WYANDOTTE HENS FOR SALE. Apply 951 Johnson street. je25

For Sale—Wood

FOR SALE—Good wood, 4 ft., $3.50; cut, $4.50. Burt's Wood Yard. tf

READY TO BURN—Clean mill wood, large and small, to suit. Phone Hull, 1124.

NOTICE—For the next six weeks I, the undersigned will sell cordwood in four-foot lengths and take sawing machine to cut it in yards, alleyways and vacant lots, in lots of 4 cords and upwards. Try the old way and see what you are getting. J. E. Grice, 2022 Douglas street, Victoria, B. C. Phone 149.

Lost and Found.

LOST—Black mare with white spot on forehead and one white hind foot. Any one returning same to E. F. Geiger, cor. Douglas and Pandora streets, will be suitably rewarded. je23 tf

FOUND—At Cedar Hill picnic grounds, a gold brooch, clover pattern, jewelled. Apply Postmaster, Mount Tolmie. je24

LOST—Between Green street and Linden via Cook, green silk belt, gold buckle with Chinese lettering. Reward at this office. je22 tf

LOST—On Tuesday night, in Victoria theatre or on Fort street car, gold brooch set with amethyst stone. Will finder please leave at Times Office? je10 tf

Personal

R. H. KNEESHAW, medium and healer, has removed to 734 Caledonia Ave. Sittings daily. Test circle Thursday, 8 p. m. jy11

HENRY E. HOWES, Psychic Medium. Consultations daily. Seances Mondays and Fridays, 8 p. m. 727 View street, near Douglas. je28

Situations Wanted—Male

YOUNG MAN seeks position as bookkeeper, eight years' experience single and double entry; first-class references. Apply R. H. C., Times Office.

ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

MISCELLANEOUS

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Servant girl. Apply 730 Pembroke street. je25

TWO GIRLS WANTED, one for office and one for mangle room. Victoria Steam Laundry. je28

WANTED—Several girls, at Standard Laundry. Apply at once. Good wages. je28

GIRL WANTED—At once, for jewellery store. Apply Empire Jewellery Store, 543 Johnson street. je8 tf

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Boy to assist in shirt factory. Apply Pauline & Co., Yates street. je25

Rooms and Board

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FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—Large, comfortable rooms, all modern conveniences, on car line, near sea and Park; breakfast optional. Address 117 Superior street. Phone 2728. je29

LARGE, PLEASANT ROOM, suitable for two, central, near the park; meals if desired. 641 Superior street. je24

ROOM AND BOARD. 729 Fisguard St.

THE HOLLIES, 756 Courtney street, late Rae, Room and board, also table boarders. For terms apply Miss Hall. jy12

ROOMS TO LET—Old Wilson Hotel, Yates street, has been taken over by Teddy McAvoy and has been thoroughly renovated throughout; every convenience; rates reasonable; special rates for weekly roomers. jy11

FURNISHED ROOMS and board, telephone, piano and good garden. Mrs. Hobbis, Saxonhurst, 517 Government street. je30

Wanted—Articles

WANTED—Clean cotton rags. Apply Times Office. je14 tf

WE PAY HIGHEST CASH PRICES for diamonds, jewelry and valuables of all kinds. Empire Jewelry Co., 52a Johnson street. Phone 1916. Business strictly confidential. If you have anything to sell phone us and we will call.

Wanted—Miscellaneous

WANTED—A donkey, a male preferred. Apply Box 268, Times. je28

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Saanich Municipality.

Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, 24th June, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., the Court of Revision for the Municipality of the District of Saanich will be held in the Municipal Office, Glanford avenue, for the purpose of hearing appeals from the assessment.

Those having complaints against their assessments are required to have their protests in the hands of the Municipal Clerk ten days previous to the sitting of the Court of Revision.

Dated at Royal Oak, this 21st day of May, 1909.

J. R. CARMICHAEL,
C. M. C.

Notice to the Public

Hangers, covered by Canadian patent No. 105,723, are now being manufactured at John Meston's, 1407 Broad street, and can be obtained at reasonable figures at said place.

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NOTICE

EDMONTON ROAD, between Fernwood Road and Richmond Road, is closed to vehicular traffic.
By order,
C. H. TOPP,
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LOBSTER EGGS ARE HATCHED AT NANAIMO

Experiments With Imported Fish Have Proved Successful.

When the lobsters from the Atlantic coast were brought to this province recently, some of the eggs were taken from them for the purpose of experimenting. These were taken under the charge of Rev. G. W. Taylor at the biological station at Departure Bay. These were to be carefully watched to see if they would hatch.

The experiments with lobster eggs have been carried on at the biological station during the past few weeks and have resulted entirely satisfactorily, as the young lobsters are to-day emerging from their egg shells in some numbers and are apparently as strong and lively as if hatched under natural conditions.

The success of this experiment shows that the waters of this distrit are not too cold and that if other conditions are suitable there is a probability that imported lobster may reproduce their kind in these seas.

It also points to the feasibility of carrying out a suggestion that has been made, namely, that instead of attempting further importations of adult lobsters the eggs only should be brought and hatched artificially on this coast.

COLONY OF CONVICTS.

How Egypt Proposes to Deal With the Habitual Criminal.

Crime has increased to such an alarming extent of late, and the ordinary measures for its repression at present in force are so inadequate, that the Egyptian government has decided to enact a deportation law empowering it to deport to certain isolated parts of the country all old offenders, those who have evil reputations, and who, notwithstanding their misdeeds, have managed to get round the law, says the Cairo correspondent of the Pall Mall Gazette. The power of sentencing to deportation will rest in the hands of a committee in each province, consisting of the governor, a judge, a member of the Parquet, and two notables.

The government has its eyes on the Oases of Kharga and Dakhela, and projects establishing there penitentiary colonies, where the exiles would carry out useful work in the irrigation and development of those tracts of land. The Oases are ideal spots for the establishment of such colonies, as they are absolutely isolated in the midst of the desert, the only means of communication with the outside world being by the Farshut railway, which the government is about to acquire. No escape is possible, as the desert is everywhere watched most carefully by the camel patrols of the coastguards. The ministers of finance and of the interior have just left for these Oases in order to take definite measure before the new law is definitely drawn up.

This new scheme is really the only solution to the present serious state of affairs. How serious is that state can be best ganged when I mention that of the persons sentenced to penal servitude for repeated crime and released since 1904, over 54 per cent. have been reported by the police to be living by dishonest means. By eliminating the "old offender" and "bad character" classes, their evil influence will no longer be felt, and the banishment to the arid desert, miles away from the eyes of the world, will without a doubt act as a strong deterrent. The average native dreads a journey into unknown parts; in fact, it takes him a long time very often to decide to go any distance from his village; the idea of being exiled to the desert will, therefore, do more to keep him to the paths of righteousness than any amount of detention in ordinary prisons.

SUFFRAGETTE AS GHOST.

All-Night Vigil to Hide Under a Platform.

Miss May Phillips, a Suffragette, spent one night recently without food in the dark of St. George's Hall, Liverpool, in order, during the "capping" of Mr. Birrell at University ceremony, to interrupt the proceedings from beneath the platform on which he stood.

She was passing the hall about eight o'clock in the evening, saw the door open, and the idea forthwith occurred to her to hide inside.

"It was certainly very dark and very still," she said, "but I believed myself perfectly safe. To make sure that I should not be discovered by the attendants, I made my way into one of the law courts, and hid under the judge's desk. I was terribly cramped, but I remained there for a considerable time.

"I had no food, as my adventure was quite unpremeditated. I did not sleep a wink; not that I was afraid. When dawn came I went to the great hall and secreted myself beneath the platform. It was somewhat dusty and uncomfortable, but I did not mind.

"Through a chink in the partition in front of the platform I saw the gathering assemble. Above me were the august personages. I heard every word that was said. Taking advantage of a pause during the recital of Mr. Birrell's literary and political activities, I called out 'How dare you come and face a Liverpool audience, Mr. Birrell, while a Liverpool woman is in prison?'

"There was silence for a moment, and then an uproar. They did not find me for some time, and it was amusing to see men on their hands and knees crawling beneath the platform striking matches in their search for me. I then went quietly out."

John D. Rockfeller, jr., and James A. Moffett have been elected vice-presidents of the Standard Oil Company to succeed W. H. Tilford and H. H. Rogers. W. W. Teague and H. M. Tilford were elected directors.

Ross' Big Grocery Sale This Week

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PURE GOLD JELLY POWDERS, 3 packets	25c.
WHITE'S TABLE CREAMS, 3 packets	25c.
QUICK TAPIOCA PUDDING, 2 packets	25c.
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QUICK CUSTARD PUDDING, 2 packets	25c.
PURE GOLD ICINGS, 2 packets	25c.
CORN STARCH, 3 packets	25c.
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STRAWBERRIES, two boxes for ..... 25¢

Place Orders Now for Preserving Berries. Our Price, per lb. ..... 10c.

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AT 1219 DOUGLAS ST.

To-morrow, at 2 p.m.

Having received notice to vacate 1219 Douglas on July 1st, '09, this sale will be the last Friday sale at this address, and will include

Nearly New Monarch Range
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Bureaus, Washstands, Iron and Wood Beds, Springs, Mattresses, Carpets, Rocking, Arm and other Chairs, Sideboard, Extension Table, Dining and other Chairs, Crockery, Cooking Utensils, etc., etc.

NOTICE

Goods bought at this sale delivered Free to any part of city.

H. W. Davies, M.A.A., Auctioneer

AUCTION SALE

TUESDAY, 29th—2 p. m.
—OF—

Household Furniture

—AT—

Salesrooms, 1219 Douglas Street

H. W. Davies, M.A.A., Auctioneer

WEDNESDAY, 30th—2 p. m.

Duly instructed by Mr. L. Bruce Latimer to sell by

AUCTION

The contents of his residence, 127 Government Street. Particulars later.

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The strawberry growers say the crop is about over. We advise buying preserving berries at once.

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1102 Government Street. Tels. 88 and 1761

SHOULD PUT DOWN BETTING

ADVICE TO VICTORIA REGARDING RACES

Members of United Clericus Discuss Matter—Political Moral Standard.

Last night's session of the United Clericus was held in St. John's church hall on Herald street, when a paper was read on "Political Morality," by Right Rev. F. W. Keator, bishop of Olympia. Even men good personally, he said, were apt in matters political to forsake their standards of right and wrong. He dealt with the "boss" system in the States and insisted on the need for educating the elector to a realization of his obligation to better these conditions. Public spirit lay at the foundation of all free legislation. The bishop spoke at some length upon the necessity of the church, paying attention to the celebration of the great national days. The clergy should realize their duty in this connection. When men realized the nation's responsibility it would be when the individual realized his duty towards God on the one hand and his duty towards his neighbor on the other.

Rev. A. U. de Pencier, Vancouver, followed on the same lines.

Ven. Archdeacon Beer, Kaslo, for Rev. F. M. Graham, spoke upon "The Immorality of the Public Man." He considered the problem would soon be solved if voters disregarded party and voted only for good men.

Rev. W. C. Shaw, Walla Walla, said the race track was neither more nor less than the thin end of the wedge to corrupt the morals of the youth of the city, and was bound to become a national menace. He advised Victoria "to begin on the enemy in its midst, taking pattern by the action of the states of New York and California." They owed it to their youth and their women to stamp out the evil forever at its inception.

Bishop Perrin said he was told an enormous amount of betting had taken place. There was no doubt of the danger of this practice and concerted steps should be taken to abolish it. The clergy should see that it was made easy to do right and hard to do wrong.

BODY FOUND IN BAY AT SAN FRANCISCO

Man Believed to Have Been the Victim of Foul Play.

(Times Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Cal., June 24.—With one leg missing and two heavy irons fastened to its waist, the body of a middle-aged man, believed to be Enevold Christiansen, was found in the bay off Alcatraz island early to-day by the crew of a police patrol boat. The body evidently had been in the water many days and was badly decomposed.

The heavy weights about the waist caused the corpse to float about a foot beneath the surface of the water. The missing leg is thought to have been amputated by the propeller of a bay steamer.

The police believe the man met with foul play and the case will be investigated.

WAGES ADVANCED.

Buffalo, N. Y., June 24.—A notice was posted in the mills, shops and offices of the Lackawanna Steel Company yesterday that a ten per cent advance in wages will be made beginning July 1st.

Prof. Dr. Karl Lohmeyer, of Konigsberg, has died at Dantzig at the age of seventy-seven. He was born without arms, but at the University he turned the pages of books with his mouth, and could sign his name firmly with a pen held between his teeth.

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Superiority of design and workmanship is apparent in every piece of this furniture and we know of no other Western establishment offering such a variety of styles and such a choice of prices.

We have Dining Chairs from ..... $7.50 We have Dining Chairs from $1.25

DELIGHTFUL NEW ARRIVALS IN CANDLE SHADES

EVEN small items, such as candle shades, holders, etc., weren't overlooked by Mr. Weiler when East this Spring, for we have just received some splendid examples of New York's latest in candle shades, etc. Those housekeepers who delight in attractive table settings will be delighted with these new arrivals. The new candle lamps are particularly interesting and have a close second in the new Mission candle shades. Pleased to have you come in and see them. Shown on first floor.

CUIRASSES AT 25c

We have a splendid line of low priced cuirasses just received. Your choice of either gold or silver finishes in pretty designs at, each ..... 25¢

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Many attractive new shades are offered, but chief among these new arrivals are these Mission styles. We have them in either green or red at ..... 25¢

CANDLE LAMPS, $1.50

These candle lamps are new. They have an attractive metal base candle holder and glass globe. Any candle shade fits. Sold without shade at $1.50

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"KENSINGTON" ART SQUARES

WE have just received an extra large shipment of these wonderfully satisfactory squares and have a full range of sizes and patterns now. These squares are all wool and reversible. They come in beautiful art deisgns and colorings and at these prices are splendid value. Pleased to have you come in and examine these new arrivals. Many are on the rug rack and can be shown in a few moments.

We have the following sizes:

Size 2½ x 3 yards, at, each	$11.00
Size 3 x 3 yards, at, each	$13.00
Size 3½ x 3 yards, at, each	$15.00
Size 3 x 4 yards, at, each	$17.50
Size 3½ x 4 yards, at, each	$21.00
Size 4 x 4 yards, at, each	$23.50
Size 4 x 4½ yards, at, each	$26.00
Size 4 x 5 yards, at, each	$29.00

"KRYPTON" ART WOOL SQUARES

KRYPTON WOOL ART SQUARES are another line of art squares that are extremely popular with Victorians. They are of an extra heavy weight and are excellent wearers. Are reversible, giving double wear. They come in charming art designs and colorings, many of which are particularly desirable for bedroom use. One pattern to which we wish to direct particular attention is the lattice design. This is a new and dainty pattern and when chosen in a delightful blue would add much to the attractiveness of any bedroom.

Come in and see these splendid squares. Values are excellent. We have the following sizes:

Size 3 x 3 yards, at, each	$19.00
Size 3 x 3½ yards, at, each	$22.00
Size 3 x 4 yards, at, each	$25.00
Size 3½ x 4 yards, at, each	$29.00

Choose a Piece of This Reed Furniture To-day

We have recently added many attractive new pieces and the showing at present is especially broad. The price range is easy, too. Come in and see these inviting chair styles.

REED CHAIRS, many designs, from, each	$6	REED SETTEES, from, each	$12
REED ROCKERS, comfy styles, from, each	$4	REED COUCHES, several styles, from, each	$8

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CHINESE COOLIES A PRIVILEGED CLASS

Exempt From Provisions of Anti-Opium Law for Three Years.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Pekin, June 24.—Through the opium prohibition laws just promulgated, the imperial government has established a governmental precedent in making the common people a privileged class, which exceeds the dreams of the most radical democrats.

Under the provisions of the imperial edict, the official classes become amenable to the prohibitory laws at once, and any official found guilty of "hitting the pipe" is subject to punishment ranging from two years' imprisonment to strangulation.

Within one year the gentry come under the laws designed to free the empire from the opium curse, but not until the third year of Hsuan Tung, which is three years hence, can the prohibitory laws, except in the employment of restraint in aggravated cases, be invoked against the coolie classes.

In explanation of the graduated provisions of the law, it is set forth that the official classes are supposed to be of superior intelligence, and should obey all laws in letter and in spirit so as to create respect for the government through their example. No excuse, it is set forth, exists for official disobedience of the law. The gentry being removed in a measure from active participation in the government, are given a year in which to acquaint themselves with the new law, after which they will be as vigorously prosecuted as the offending officials. The coolie classes, it is set forth, are composed of ignorant people, and are recommended to the law's patience, so it is ordered that they shall not be amenable to the prohibitory laws for three years, during which period all officials are ordered to employ measures to acquaint the lower classes with the provisions of the law.

FIGHT FOR A FLAGSTAFF.

Essex Vicar and Retired Admiral Appear in Court.

The fight between a vicar and an admiral for the possession of a flagstaff was fought out in Braintree (Essex) County court.

Admiral Sir William Garnham Luard, of Witham, brought an action against Rev. C. R. L. Yonge, vicar of Cressing, near Braintree, for the wrongful detention in the vicarage garden of a flagstaff, valued at £1 18s. 4d., of which he claimed delivery.

The Admiral stated that he presented the flagstaff in 1907 to his son-in-law, Rev. C. H. Bond, who was then vicar of Cressing. Mr. Bond was appointed vicar of South Hill, Bedfordshire, and he offered to sell the flagstaff to his successor, Mr. Yonge. But Mr. Yonge refused to pay for it, on the ground that the flagstaff was fixed in the soil, and had become part of the freehold of the living. Mr. Bond then returned the flagstaff as a gift to his father-in-law, Admiral Luard, who in turn presented it to the Rev. W. Warren, vicar of Black Notley, which parish adjoins Cressing. When the vicar of Notley applied for the flagstaff Mr. Yonge would not allow it to be removed.

The judge decided against the vicar, and ordered the flagstaff to be delivered to the admiral.

Allen Batchelor, of Guildford, who was reputed to be England's oldest barber, died recently at the age of eighty-eight. He claimed to have been patronized by kings, dukes, bishops, judges, policemen, politicians, publicans, "and sinners no end."

The Germans are experimenting, with reported success, with acetylene shells, which are fired as far as six miles, from a specially constructed gun. These shells are so balanced that upon striking the water a tube admits the required amount of water to the carbide, producing sufficient acetylene gas to make a light of 3,000 candle-power. By this means a battleship can quickly illuminate an area of several square miles where the enemy is supposed to be. Just what would happen should a ship accidentally fire in a direction opposite the enemy and thus make a silhouette target of itself has not been explained. All authorities agree that the safety of a big ship at night lies in darkness, and the demand now is not for more light, but for some improved form of night glass which will enable the lookouts to see in the dark.—Popular Mechanics.

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